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CABLES REMAIN SILENT.

When Communication is Resumed, News of Four Great Battles is Expected.

IMPORTANT MOVES NOW ON.

It is Believed That After the Relief of Kimberly Lord Methuen Will Hasten to the Aid of Mafeking.

Mobilization of Reserves Satisfactory to England---War News.

London, Nov. 29 (5 A. M.). Virtually the only fresh news from the front is contained in the despatches of Gen. Forestier-Walker to the war office. The cables continue silent, presumably because of Gen. Buller's desire to prevent leakage regarding important movements now being carried on.

It seems clear, however, that Lord Methuen is continuing to advance rapidly and that, finding the railway much damaged, he left it behind him. When telegraphic communication is resumed it is quite possible that news may come of four simultaneous battles at Modder River, Arundel, Stormberg and Colenso.

As the Boers, according to Gen. Walker, are leaving Kimberley for the south, it is regarded as not impossible that Col. Kekewich is already marching with 2000 troops to meet Lord Methuen. It is believed that after the relief of Kimberley, Lord Methuen will proceed to the relief of Mafeking, about which considerable anxiety is still felt.

Lieut. Gen. Sir Chas. Mansfield Clark, it is reported, will be the commander of the sixth division.

The latest phase of the mobilization of the reserves has proved as satisfactory as have former calls. Out of 9786 men summoned, 9533 have rejoined the colors.

CHARGE REPELLED.

London, Nov. 28. Mr. Arthur J. Balfour, the government leader in the House of Commons, addressing the national conservative conference at Dewsbury today, repelled the charge that the government's motive in the war in South Africa was the acquisition of the gold fields.

"I have now come to the conclusion," he said, "that the declaration of the war by the Transvaal and the Free State was not any despairing struggle for liberty but a bold bid for empire, a bid to make themselves the nucleus of a Dutch-speaking, paramount power in South Africa, and to exclude forever the hated Britisher from a dominating influence in that part of the world. These people have risked their all upon the stake of war; and it is incredible that such a risk would be run merely to prevent the Uitlander getting a vote. Their dream may be madness, but it is intelligent madness when we consider the whole situation and the military difficulties that beset Great Britain in a South African campaign. They have also counted upon the British party system; and another reason may be found in their profound contempt for British arms."

Passing to a eulogy of the "brilliant bravery of our troops," "the courage, patriotism and endurance of the small colony of Natal so transcendantly displayed," and the "patriotic spirit of the colonies generally," he continued:

"Last, but not least, may we not on this occasion express our gratitude to our American relations, who have done all that is possible in a case like this, namely have provided and equipped the Maine, not only in the interests of humanity but, as I believe, out of sympathy for these engaged in this great fight."

In the course of an eloquent peroration in which he said that he was not entitled to lift the veil hiding the future, Mr. Balfour expressed confidence that an era of peace, prosperity and freedom would follow these dark struggles."

SKIRMISHES WITH BOERS.

London, Nov. 28. Gen. Forestier-Walker has sent the following despatch dated Cape Town today to the war office:

"Kekewich reports from Kimberley from Nov. 18 to 23rd, some unimportant skirmishes with the Boers. Wounded—Capt. Bodley, Lieut. Hawker and three troopers, all doing well. The health of the garrison is good and the water supply plentiful.

"Native reports to Kekewich state that the enemy's camps to the south of Kimberley have been vacated and that Cronje, with 3,000 Boers is marching to the south. The Boers are disappearing from the vicinity of Kimberley. The enemy seems restless.

"The railway line was repaired to a point six miles north of Gras Pan Sunday and the telegraph was reopened to within eight miles of Modder River or ten miles from Kimberley Monday night.

"Later—Gatacre occupied Bushman's Hoek yesterday with a battalion of infantry. His main body is at Putter's kraal. The enemy retired toward Molteno."

BOERS RETREAED SUCCESSFULLY

London, Nov. 28. A despatch from Orange River, dated Monday Nov. 27, and describing the battle of Enslin, says:

"The Boers successfully retreated. The lancers attempted to intercept and reached them; but a severe fire, opened from a hill forced the lancers to retreat. Gen. Cronke was with the Boers.

"Among the Boer prisoners are Aldermen Jeppe, and Commandant Rossik, who led the Boer force."

THE VICTORY AT GRAS PAN.

Orange River, Monday, Nov. 27. The British arms have achieved a brilliant victory. The enemy, strongly entrenched held a range of hills commanding both sides of the railway at Rooi laagte, near Gras Pan. The Lancashires, under Lewis, reconnoitered in an armored train on Friday. The Boers shelled the train, killing Lewis and a private.

Gen. Methuen then advanced. His column under a detour and bivoucked for the night at Swinks Pan, three miles from the Boer position. At dawn the advance began. The column advanced on the plain eastward of the Boer hills. The Boer guns opened fire. Two batteries of British artillery shelled the Boers, practice being good on both sides.

The Boers stuck tenaciously to their positions firing steadily and accurately. The duel, which continually became hotter, lasted three hours. The Boer shells wounded several men of the naval brigade.

Finding it impossible to displace the Boers by artillery, Gen. Methuen resolved upon an infantry attack. A brigade of infantry including the Yorkshires, the Northamptons, the Northumberlands and the Lancasshires, with the naval brigade on the right gallantly stormed the Boer positions, in the face of a withering fire and carried hill after hill, the brigade under Col. Money capturing the main positions against a terrific fire, but suffering severely.

Many of the Boers voluntarily surrendered.

The Boers were shelled during the final retreat and must have lost heavily; but they succeeded in getting away northward with their six guns.

The bulk of the fighting was on Free State territory and the engagement was admirably planned. Thirty Boer wounded are under treatment here. At the close of the action Lord Methuen complimented the naval brigade upon their splendid behavior.

BROAD WON IN THE 25th

"Kid" Broad and Dave Sullivan Have a Fierce Bout.

New York, Nov. 28. "Kid" Broad of Cleveland met Dave Sullivan of Boston tonight before the Broadway A. C. and the Kid won in a contest of 25 rounds at 124 pounds. Sullivan in the opening rounds assumed the aggressive, but he at no time offset his adversary's defensive tactics and counters. All through the fight honors were pretty even with the exception of one knockdown in the 15th round. In this round Sullivan went to the floor and came up after a good part of the allotted ten seconds had elapsed.

At the end of the 25th round both men were bleeding profusely from the nose, mouth and ear, but Broad was the stronger by far and he was the aggressor to the call of time, when Referee Charley White gave a decision in favor of Broad. Sullivan was the favorite in the betting, two to one was freely laid upon his chances up to the 10th round, but after this even money prevailed.

APPREHENSION EXISTS.

Feared That Trouble May Occur if United States Does Not Make Definite Assurance Regarding Cuba's Future.

Havana, Nov. 28. Although there has been a great deal of exaggeration with reference to risings in different parts of the island, there is no doubt that, despite the tranquility of the country some apprehension exists lest within the next few months some trouble should occur in the event that the United States Congress does not give definite assurances respecting the future of Cuba. It is asserted that many of the police, especially members of the rural guard, have for several weeks been paying a fraction of their salary to a fund intended for use in case of an outbreak against the United States. It has also been reported that "recruiting for future emergencies" is in progress in various parts of the island.

ORDERS MODIFIED.

Fall River, Mass., Nov. 28. The selling committee of the manufacturers' association modified its orders given out yesterday and this afternoon issued the following statement:

"Newspapers and representatives of the press will give information daily when they call for it, but will not be given details of sales, names or buyers, nor opinions of how the market is tending."

MADE PUBLIC

Republican Financial Bill Given Out.

Defines and Fixes a Standard of Value to Maintain Parity of Money.

Has to Do With Issues And Coinage of United States.

Washington, Nov. 28. The financial bill prepared by the Republican caucus committee which met at Atlantic city last spring was today made public by the committee. The bill defines and fixes a standard of value to maintain the parity of all forms of money issued or coined by the United States.

Section 1.—The standard unit of value shall, as now, be the dollar and shall consist of twenty-five and eight tenths grains of gold, nine tenths fine or twenty-three and twenty-two one hundredths grains of pure gold, being the one-tenth part of the eagle.

Section 2.—That all interest-bearing obligations of the United States for the payment of money, now existing or hereafter to be entered into and all United States notes and treasury notes issued under the law of July 14, 1890, shall be deemed and held to be payable in the gold coin of the United States as defined in section one of this act, and all other obligations, public and private for the payment of money, shall be performed in conformity with the standard established in said section. Nothing herein contained shall be construed or held to affect the present legal tender quality of the silver dollar, or of the subsidiary of minor coins, or of the paper currency of the United States, or the laws making national bank notes receivable and payable for certain public debts and dues and obligations between national banks.

Section 3.—That there be established in the treasury department as a part of the office of the treasurer of the United States, a division to be designated and known as the division of issue and redemption, to which shall be assigned, under such regulations as the secretary of the treasury may approve, all records and accounts relating to the issue, redemption and exchange, as hereinafter provided, of the several kinds of United States money. There shall be transferred from the general fund in the treasury of the United States and known upon the books of said division as a redemption fund, the amount of gold coin and bullion held against outstanding gold certificates, the amount of United States notes held against outstanding currency certificates, the amount of silver dollars held against outstanding silver certificates, the amount in silver dollars and silver bullion held against outstanding treasury notes issued under the act of July 14, 1890, and the amount of gold coin and bullion to constitute a reserve fund equal to 25 per cent. of the amount, both of United States notes and treasury notes issued under the act of July 14, 1890, outstanding. The gold and silver coins and bullion transferred from the general fund in the treasury as herein provided shall be increased or diminished as the case may be in accordance with the provisions of this act and in no other way.

Section 4.—That it shall be the duty of the secretary of the treasury to maintain the gold reserve fund taken up on the books of division of issue and redemption as herein provided, and for this purpose he may from time to time transfer to such fund any moneys in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, or may exchange any of the funds in the division of issue and redemption for other funds which may be in the general fund of the treasury and in addition thereto he is hereby authorized to issue and sell, whenever in his judgment it is necessary to the maintenance of said reserve fund bonds of the United States bearing interest at a rate not exceeding 3 per cent. per annum, payable in gold coin at the end of 20 years, but redeemable in gold coin at the option of the United States after one year. But no transfer shall at any time be made from the general fund of the treasury to the division of issue and redemption which will reduce the general fund below 50,000,000 of dollars. That all United States notes and treasury notes issued under the act of July 14, 1890, presented for redemption shall be redeemed in gold coin at the will of the heolder, and all silver certificates presented for redemption shall be redeemed in accordance with the existing law. The secretary of the treasury is authorized and required to use said reserve fund in maintaining at all times the parity and equal value of every dollar issued or coined by the government, and if at any time the secretary of the treasury deems it necessary in order to maintain the parity and equal value of all the money of the United States, he may, at his discretion, exchange gold coin for any other money issued or coined by the United States. The notes and certificates so redeemed or exchanged shall be held in and constitute a part of said fund and shall not be withdrawn therefrom nor disturbed except in exchange for an equivalent amount of the coin in which said notes or certificates were redeemed or exchanged, except as hereinbefore in this section provided.

Section 5.—That the secretary of the treasury is hereby authorized to use, at his discretion, any silver bullion in the treasury of the United States, purchased under the act of July 14, 1890, for coinage into such denominations of subsidiary silver coin as may be necessary to meet the public requirements for such coin and any gain or seigniorage arising from this coinage shall be accounted for and paid into the treasury. Whenever any silver bullion purchased under the act of July 14, 1890, shall be used in the coinage of subsidiary silver coin, an amount of treasury notes issued under said act, equal to the cost of the bullion contained in such coin, shall be cancelled and not reissued.

Section 6—That the secretary of the treasury is hereby authorized and directed to cause all worn and uncurrent subsidiary silver coin of the United States now in the treasury and hereafter received, to be recoined and to reimburse the treasury of the United States for the difference between the nominal or face value of such coin and the amount the same will produce in new coin from any moneys in the treasury not otherwise apropriated.

Section 7—That the United States note or treasury notes issued under the act of July 14, 1890, hereafter issued or reissued, shall be of such denominations not less than one dollar, as the secretary of the treasury may subscribe. Silver certificates shall hereafter be issued or paid out only in denominations of one dollar, two dollars and five dollars, against silver dollars deposited in the division of issue and redemption, or in exchange for silver certificates of denominations exceeding five dollars.

Section 8—That section 5159 of the revised statutes of the United States, and the same is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

Section 5159—Every association after having complied with the provision of this title, preliminary to the commencement of the banking business and before it shall be authorized to commence banking business under this title, shall transfer and deliver to the treasurer of the United States as security for its circulating notes, any United States registered bonds, bearing interest to an amount where the capital is one hundred and fifty thousand dollars or less, not less than one-fourth of the capital and fifty thousand dollars where the capital is in excess of one hundred and fifty thousand odllars.

Section 9—That every national banking association shall pay to the treasurer of the United States in addition to the taxes imposed by an act approved July 13, 1898, entitled "An act to provide ways and means to meet war expenditures and for other purposes," each half year, in the months of January and July, on or before the 13th day thereof, a tax of one-tenth of one per cent upon the value of its franchise as measured by the aggregate of its capital, surplus and undivided profits upon the last day of the calendar month next preceding.

Sections 5214, 5215, 5216 and 5217 of the Revised Statutes of the United States are hereby repealed. In order to enable the treasurer to assess the taxes imposed by the provisions of this section, each association shall, within ten days from the first days of January and July of each year, make a return, under the oath of its president or cashier, to the treasurer of the United States, in such form as the treasurer may prescribe, of the amount of its capital, surplus and undivided profits upon the last day of the calendar month preceding. Whenever any association fails to make the return hereing required, the taxes to be paid by such association shall be assessed upon such an amount as the treasurer may determine to be the true amount of capital, surplus and undivided profits of such association.

Section 10.—That section 5138 of the Revised Statutes is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

Section 5138.—No association shall be organized with a less capital than one hundred thousand dollars, except that banks with a capital of not less than fifty thousand dollars may, with the approval of the secretary of the treasury, be organized in any place the population of which does not exceed 6000 inhabitants, and except that banks with a capital of not less than twenty-five thousand dollars may, with the sanction of the secretary of the treasury, be organized in any place the population of which does not exceed 2000 inhabitants. No association shall be organized in a city, the population of which exceeds fifty thousand persoons, with a capital of less than two hundred thousand dollars.

THE WEATHER.

Wednesday and Thursday Will Probably be Pleasant, With Southwesterly Winds.

Washington, Nov. 28. Forecast for Wednesday and Thursday for New England and eastern New York: Fair Wednesday and probably Thursday; southwesterly winds.

BOSTON FORECAST.

Boston, Nov. 28. Forecast for Boston and vicinity for Wednesday: Partly cloudy, fair weather Wednesday and Thursday; light to fresh southwest winds.

GENERAL FORECAST.

Washington, Nov. 28. Weather conditions and general forecast:

The barometer is below the normal over the entire country. Rain has fallen in the Pacific coast states, over the northern plateau region and in North Dakota.

The temperature is above the seasonal average except in the east Gulf states.

There are no present indications of unseasonable clod weather in any part of the United States.

In the central valleys and thence to the Atlantic coast the temperature will rise slowly, with generally fair weather during the next two days.

During Wednesday fresh southwesterly winds will prevail along the middle Atlantic and New England coast. Along the south Atlantic coast the winds will be fresh from the west.

TERRIBLE WEATHER REPORTED.

St. Johns, N. F., Nov. 28. All the incoming vessels report terrible weather on the Atlantic. The barkentine Peggy had her decks swept, her rigging destroyed and her bulwarks battered while coming from Pernambuco. The schooner Zephyr met with a similar experience. She reports sighting a floating wreck about 150 miles off the coast, right in the track of the ocean steamers. The schooner Margaret lost her sails and topmast. She reports having passed an almost submerged iceberg off Cape Race.

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PROVED UNSEAWORTHY.

Transport Manauense Shows Herself Entirely Incompetent for Service.

BARELY ESCAPED DISASTER.

Steamer Was Undermanned and Short of Provisions---Officers and Soldiers of 31st Infantry Were 12 Days Bailing With Buckets.

Terrible Experiences and Suffering on Board a Broken Down Ship.

Manila, Nov. 28, 7.35 P. M. The transport Manauense, with Lieut. Col. Webb Hayes and three companies of the 31st infantry on board has arrived here. She narrowly escaped disaster.

The officers and sailors were for 12 days bailing with buckets. The steamer was unseaworthy, under manned and sort of provisions. Her engines broke down and she rolled three days in a typhoon.

Manila, Nov. 28, 8.15 P. M. When the Manauense anchored in Manila bay this morning, 33 days from San Francisco, there were several feet of water in the hold and four hundred gromy, greasy, hungry exhausted soldiers and sailors had been passing buckets of water since Nov. 17, night and day. First assistant engineer Dunlevey was under arrest and according to Col. Webb Hayes' official report the chief engineer would also have been under arrest if there had been anyone to replace him.

The colonel's report also declares that the captain of the vessel told him that the only thing which brought him through was the fact that the men were greenhorns and failed to realize their danger, while experienced seamen would have deserted the ship and have taken to the boats in mid ocean.

The Manauense is a chartered ship flying the British flag. She belongs to a firm of which Senator Perkins of San Francisco is alleged to be a junior member. The officers say the firm bought her for $45,000 and they claim efforts were made to sell her to the government for $150,000. She started from San Francisco accompanied by the transport Pekin, which carried the remainder of the regiment and encountered heavy seas to Honolulu without accident. After starting it developed that she was under-manned and soldiers had to be detailed to act as firemen, coal passers and waiters and to do other work. Before reaching Honolulu the crew concluded that the ship was not safe and the majority agreed to desert. They were closely watched but many of the crew succeeded in getting away and the Manauense left Honolulu with less than half her crew. The captain of the transport Nov. 17 told Col. Webb-Hayes that the vessel had sprung a leak and an investigation resulted in finding several feet of water in the hold. The steam pumps were tried but failed to work and there were no hand pumps on board. However, 46 buckets were found, others were improvised and the soldiers not employed in working the ship were organized into five shifts and stripped, and forming lines, they began bailing, the officers working with the men, passing the buckets which were sent up to the deck by a windlass. The longest time a shift could stand was two hours, and often the period was not longer than half an hour. The bailing continued until the ship anchored here.

The same day the leak was discovered the machinery collapsed and the electric lighting plant and evaporating, distilling and refrigerating apparatus failed to work. There were no lamps and the few candles found were exhausted after a few days. During the last week of the passage the Manauense was in utter darkness at night. She had been rolling in heavy seas all the way, but Nov. 22 she encountered a typhoon and pitched and tossed alarmingly. The Pekin became separated from the Manauense in the storm.

The water rose rapidly, and the bailing force was doubled. But the buckets were gradually smashed and barrels and boxes were substituted for them, the men working in darkness with planks and pieces of iron shifting or being violently washed among them. The firemen could only feed the fires by being lifted on the shoulders of other men, through water waist deep.

The typhoon lasted two days and a half, and in the midst of it the engines stopped. The officers then held a council and found that there were 240 persons on board, with life boat accommodations for two hundred and thirteen.

In the meantime the men below, ignorant of their extreme peril were passing buckets and singing "What the —— do we care" while the ship rolled helpless on the ocean, with hatches closed.

The heat was intense until the typhoon passed and then the Pekin, which had retraced her course about 70 miles, came alongside the Manauense, which was rolling so heavily that the soldiers in the hold could, at each roll, see the Pekin through the hatches overhead.

Col. James S. Pettit, the commander of the 31st volunteer regiment, ordered the Manauense to proceed to Guam and await relief, but the captain of the Manauense demurred, the officers say, because the government was renting the ship for $500 per day.

Throughout the remainder of the voyage the engines of the Manauense failed frequently and the ship would roll for a few hours while the engines were repaired. Then the steamer would proceed again for a few hours.

The meat and vegetables rotted because of the failure of the refrigerators and were thrown overboard.

After the storm the water supplied to the ship at Honolulu had to be used for the boilers and there was little or none for drinking. In fact it is asserted that during the last week of the voyage the men lived almost entirely on whiskey, beer and hard tack.

The officers and soldiers were utterly exhausted when they reached Manila. They declare the engineers were grossly incompetent. The officers also said that the behavior of the troops was beyond praise. For days they worked in the dark suffocating hold, with water sometimes up to their shoulders, and planks washing about in a manner dangerous to life and limb. The officers took the lead in bailing and encouraged the men.

The captain of the ship promised the men 25 cents an hour for bailing but he now proposes to pay them a dollar and a half a day. The soldiers talk of attaching the ship.

The regiment will proceed to Zamboanga on the Pekin to garrison several ports on the island of Mindanoa.

STATEMENT BY OFFICIALS.

San Francisco, Nov. 28. Transport officials at this port are at a loss to explain the alleged unseaworthiness of the transport Manauense whose arrival at Manila was reported today. A representative of the Associated Press

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THE LOCAL NEWS.

Capt. A. E. Fernald of Winterport was in the city Tuesday on business.

Mr. H. B. Williams is confined to his home on First street with a severe cold.

County Attorney B. L. Smith of Patten is in the city at the Penobscot Exchange.

The High School Oracle for November is out and it is an interesting and attractive number.

The friends of Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Vose are congratulating them on the birth of a son, John Peters Vose.

The Woman's Aid society of Grace M. E. church will have a Christmas sale at the church vestries Dec. 14 and 15.

Schooner David P. Davis, coal for Ashland Mfg. Co., and schooner Kate Walker, light to load lumber, arrived in port Tuesday.

Director H. M. Pullen will give his annual Thanksgiving matinee in Society Hall on Thursday from 4 to 6. It promises to be a most delightful event.

The following Bangor gentlemen were passengers on the noon train over the B. & A. on Tuesday: F. H. Appleton, Esq., John Ross, P. H. McNamara and J. R. Coulter.

The funeral of Mrs. Joel F. Mann took place Tuesday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock in St. Mary's church. Father J. A. Riordan officiated and the bearers were William Hainer, Wm. Sampson, J. E. Smith, Wm. Constantine, Frank Boyle and Henry Crowley. The interment was at Mt. Pleasant.

Bangor people will be interested to learn that the keel of the new steamer for the Boston and Bangor line to be christened the City of Rockland, has been laid at McKie's yard in East Boston. She will be 10 feet longer than the City of Bangor and larger than that vessel in proportion, as has been previously announced in the Whig.

On Friday evening, Dec. 15, at Eddington Bend, a grand ball will be held under the management of W. D. Grant and C. A. Gonyer. Dorr's orchestra will furnish music. Frank Breen will act as floor manager and the aides will be Allie Spruce, Bradley; John Bettes, Orono; Clarence Rollins, Veazie; Lem Ford, Eddington, and Will Smith, South Brewer. Supper will be served at intermission and a fine time is promised to all who attend.

The many friends of Mr. N. W. Ladd who for many years has been the genial proprietor of the Baltimore Dairy Lunch on Harlow street will be glad to learn that he has purchased the Central market and will open for business at once. Mr. Ladd has befriended many a poor straggler on cold, stormy nights and he never failed to get up a good meal for anyone who came along. He intends to keep an up-to-date market and hopes that all his friends will still continue to come his way. He will retain his old business at the lunch room just the same.

The types make hard work of spelling. We attempted yesterday to give the correct spelling of the name of Segeunkedunk stream, but the appearance of the word was anything but that.

The wedding of Timothy J. McCarthy and Miss Mary Doyle will occur in St. John's Catholic church this afternoon at 3 o'clock; the ceremony will probably be performed by Rev. Edward McSweeney. After the ceremony the bridal party will be driven to the home of Mr. and Mrs. McCarthy where a reception will be held. Mr. McCarthy is a well known young man and is employed by Chandler & Co., furniture dealers at 84 Hammond street; Miss Doyle possesses many estimable qualities which have made for her many friends.

The officials of the Bangor Alumni Athletic Association announce that there will be no foot ball game at Maplewood Park Thanksgiving day, consequently the season is closed. The financial condition of the team is better off than for several seasons. Instructor J. O. Wellman, who has acted as manager of the team, has been one of the most successful officials which ever acted in that capacity. His schedule was one of the best ever arranged here, having given more games at home than abroad, while all the teams were of the first class. Manager Wellman has worked hard for a winning team and none of the blame for the discouraging result can be attributed to him. The elections will not be held for some time but it is expected that he will be promptly rechosen.

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Fri—Strange Adventures of Miss Brown	Pawn Ticket 210
Sat—Ranch King	Bob

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Thanksgiving Matinee 10, 20 and 30 Seat Sale will open Friday.

AMUSEMENTS.

Frankie Carpenter Plays to a Packed House Tuesday Night—Hi Henry Coming.

At the Opera House on Tuesday evening the Frankie Carpenter Company presented the popular melodrama "Mugg's Landing" to a packed audience. The play has been given here before, and is evidently a favorite with Bangor people, for the crowd applauded almost continually. Mr. Jere Grady as "Soldier Johnson" was a great success, and his specialties throughout the piece were appreciated. Frankie was the bright, pretty little Frankie that she always is, and her singing and dancing took immensely with the house. Mr. Dan Burke as "Buck, the land agent," was amusing, but his annunciation for the greater part of the time was so indistinct that the audience could not understand his lines.

The moving pictures between the acts were very good, and that between the first and second acts was a feature which has never before been seen in this city. In the afternoon the play "Struck Gas" was presented and the audience that witnessed it was a big one for a matinee. Frankie and Mr. Grady were excellent in their parts, and the company will have a great run for the rest of the week.

HIGH GRADE WHITE FACES.

The Hi Henry big Minstrel aggregation of fifty all white star vaudevilles whose engagements embrace the leading cities of the union, will appear at the Opera House on Monday and Tuesday, Dec. 4 and 5, and Tuesday matinee.

This organization bears the strong endorsement of the leading dailies of New York City, Boston, Philadelphia and other large cities of the East where they have appeared with the greatest of success.

This organization is noted for its superb military band of forty pieces. Its big double orchestra of nineteen soloists, its fourteen singers, eight comedians, twelve vaudeville features and its general and most expensive makeup and outfit. They travel in two of the finest vestibule palace cars ever known in show history.

If this attraction bears out the high praises of the press it will certainly be deserving of most generous support.

The prices will be evenings 25, 35 and 50 cents. Matinee, 15, 25 and 35 cents. The seat sale will open Friday morning.

SECOND SYMPHONY.

Bangor People Will be Given a Rare Treat Next Tuesday Night.

On Tuesday night of next week Director Pullen will give the second of his series of symphony concerts in City Hall. For this event, one of the best programs yet given to Bangor people has been arranged and those who attend will be given a rare treat. One of the features of the evening will be the singing of Miss Helen Wright, who appeared at Mr. Pullen's second concert last season. The orchestral numbers are of an unusually interesting order. This is the program:

Nicolai—Overture, The Merry Wives of Windsor.
Beethoven—Symphony No. 1 in C.
I. Adagio motto.
II. Allegro con brio.
III. Andante cantabile con motto.
IV. Minuet, Allegro motto vivace.
V. Adagio, Allegro motto e vivace
Song, Miss Wright.
Massenet, Angelus from Scenes Pittoresques.
Wagner—Selections from the Flying Dutchman.
Song, Miss Wright.
Victor Herbert—Selections from Cyrano de Bergerac.

Season tickets for the concerts from today until Saturday will be sold at the City Hall box office, and after that during the single sale no course tickets will be sold.

REFORM CLUB OFFICERS

At a meeting of the Reform Club held at the rooms in this city Tuesday night the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

President, Dr. W. S. Marshall.
First vice president, George F. Smith.
Second vice president, Mr. Boyce.
Third vice president, M. Cleveland.
Recording secretary, J. McCarty.
Financier, A. J. Tucker.
Treasurer, W. D. Holmes.
Chaplain, J. N. Butler.
Steward, E. Clark.
Marshals, Wm. Taylor, W. H. Dowlin.
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AT MT. HOPE.

A Whig Man Visits the City of the Dead.

Remarkable Work of Superintendent Cole in Beautifying the Place.

Cemetery Has Been Enlarged About One-third.

On Tuesday afternoon a Whig reporter visited Mt. Hope and in company with Superintendent F. J. Cole viewed the new part of the cemetery which has been laid out and graded this last summer. As an artistic grader and decorator Mr. Cole ranks among the first in the state.

People as a rule are apt to associate uncanny sights with a cemetery instead of looking at it as a place of beauty particularly in the summer time when the trees possess a beautiful foliage of green leaves, and the flowers exhale a profusion of fragrance.

During the summer just passed the cemetery has been enlarged about one-third, as a matter of fact, Mr. Cole has been unable to grade the lots as fast as they have been sold.

As one enters the upper gate known as the Veazie entrance a fine new double avenue leads way around to the Mt. Hope avenue road. This avenue is divided in the middle, the whole length, with a row of young maple trees, the road itself being made of fine gravel and as hard and level as a floor.

On the left side all the way along is the new part which has been graded into lots and sold, and on the right is an immense tract, through which only the roads have been staked out, bought this summer by several well known men of the city. It is the intention of Mr. Cole to commence work on this as soon as possible in the spring.

As one travels along this avenue about half way across the grounds he arrives at the summit, from which, looking toward the west, he gets one of the most magnificent views to be seen in Bangor; still farther along to the left is the new G. A. R. lot which is tastily graded, and on which is built a miniature fort surmounted by a cannon, this lot is 75x100 feet.

All through the grounds can be seen small clumps of spruce trees which give a beautiful effect and also furnish cool and shady resting places, in hot summer days, to the weary traveler. And last but not least running along by the foot of the bank, is a stream which has been dug out to the depth of several feet, and also widened in places, dotted here and there with small islands; and now and then a small peninsula on which is a clump of spruce or perhaps maple trees. Just imagine the picture, this in the opinion of the writer is the most picturesque of all.

It might be well to mention the fact, that probably few people realize that there are more buried in Mt. Hope cemetery than there are inhabitants in the city of Bangor.

WEAVERS GO OUT.

Entire Force at Oldtown Woolen Mill Leave Their Work Tuesday.

On Tuesday afternoon at 1 o'clock the entire day and night force of about 70 weavers of the Oldtown woolen mill went out on a strike.

The trouble has been brewing since last week when, during the absence of President Herbert M. Gray in Boston, the weavers informed Mr. Phelps, the foreman, that they wanted an increase in their wages. He told them to wait until Mr. Gray returned home and he would confer with him in regard to their demand and that he would give them an answer Wednesday without fail. But they were hardly satisfied with this so on Tuesday noon when Mr. Phelps returned from dinner the foreman of the weaving room met him at the door and said that the men refused to go to work until they had seen him.

Mr. Phelps immediately went to them and to his surprise they demanded their answer at once. He assured them that their answer would certainly be given Wednesday, as agreed.

Nothing more being said, the entire force of weavers put on their hats and walked out at 1 o'clock.

The answer, as promised, will be given out this afternoon, and it is hoped that the difficulty will be settled in a few days.

COSTLY FOOD FISHES.

Salmon, at Some Seasons, is the Most Expensive of All.

The costliest fish offered in the market is salmon, which at times sells, for the whole fish at $1.25 to $1.50 a pound, says the New York Sun.

Salmon is ordinarily at its lowest price here in the latter part of October and early in November when the Pacific coast supply, brought here in refrigerator cars, is most plentiful. It may go, down then to 18 cents a pound for the whole fish, or even less. The price has been down to 15 cents, and even to 12½ cents a pound for the whole fish.

The season of Kennebec salmon opens about May 15. For a month or six weeks before that an occasional Kennebec salmon is taken, with other fishes, and these few early fish are the ones that bring the fancy prices of $1.25 and $1.50 a pound for the whole fish.

Green salmon may now be had in this market from one source and any other almost the year round [illegible] salmon at some price may now be had here always.

While salmon reaches at times the highest price of any fish in the market, the fishes of the highest average prices are Spanish mackerel, kingfish and pompano. These three fishes sell each, right along when they are in the market, at 35 or 40 cents a pound, and up to 60 cents, and sometimes for $1 a pound. They are always high-priced.

Long Island trout at the first of the season sell at an average of about 75 cents a pound. They may bring $1 a pound for the first day or two after the trout season opens.

HAVE INCREASED.

Bank Examiner Timberlake reports that the amount of deposits in savings banks, according to the latest reports from each bank, have increased materially in the past six months. It is the custom required by law in order that the savings bank tax may be determined for the saving institutions, to make a return to the bank examiner on the 31st of April and October of each year. In this is given the condition of the bank with all the minute details. The examiner goes through them, makes up his market value of the stocks held by the banks, determining according to the latest reports of their value, and then gives the returns over to the state assessors who assess the tax.

Mr. Timberlake said Thursday that the amount of the tax for the past six months would, he thought, reach $210,000, and possibly more. The deposits in the Maine institutions, he said, had increased to quite an extent. From the difference between the last tax assessed and the contemplated one it can be found that the increase in deposits must have been nearly $3,000,000; for the value of the United States bonds and other securities exempt or partially so have, as a rule, increased in value, making a greater sum to be exempt. This goes to show that the savings banks are being appreciated by the money saving people and that the people are having more labor and consequently are making more money. These increases are looked more as a gauge to the middle classes than of the richer ones, and the increase is but one of the things that go to show that better times are existing all over Maine.

HAVE FINE QUARTERS.

American Express Co. Expect to Move Into the New Bass Building the Last of the Week.

The American Express Company will probably move on Saturday of this week to their new and commodious quarters in the Bass building on the corner of Franklin and Hammond streets. The front office on Hammond street will be used for the administrative part of the work, and the rear room, with two entrances on Franklin street, will be devoted to the practical side of the business.

The whole place is fitted up in a most convenient manner, and will be appreciated by all those who are employed by the company. The front office is handsomely finished in white oak, and is a great improvement on the old and dingy furniture of the present office in Central street. The steel ceiling is prettily tinted and the office is light and cheerful.

The room in which the express matter is to be handled is finished in hard pine and the arrangement of shelves and closets is convenient and saves much room. The basement will be used as a storeroom.

FELL 25 FEET.

Sad Death, by Accident, of Mrs. Ann McAtee, of Eastport, Tuesday.

(Special to Whig and Courier.)

Eastport, Me., Nov. 28. Tuesday afternoon Mrs. Ann McAtee of this place met death acidentally while in a demented condition in trying to reach the ground by a fire escape from her room in the Island City Hotel.

Mrs. McAtee was the mother of Mrs. J. L. Parker, landlady of the hotel.

For some time past, owing to her mental condition she has been closely watched, but this afternoon when left alone she crawled out of her room window to the roof of the kitchen and in trying to reach the fire escape last her balance and fell to the ground a distance of 25 feet.

When found she was unconscious and although medical assistance was immediately sent for it arrived too late and she died at 4 o'clock. Mrs. McAtee was 85 years of age.

PLEASANT CARD PARTY

The members of the Ancient Order of Hibernians entertained their friends at the A. O. H. hall Tuesday evening. It was a card party of the real old kind and was highly enjoyed by all present. There were about 100 in attendance who were seated at tables about the hall where they played "forty-five." It was a drive game for two handsome brier wood pipes, best two out of three and the defeated pair was driven in the manner of drive whist. After ten moves were made, the official scorers on counting up, found that two pairs had played a tie game John Manion of Ward 7 and Joseph McAuley winning 9 out of the ten and Jerry Sheehan and M. J. Lynch, the same number. After a few selections from Wm. E. McNulty, Mr. Chapman and others the tie game was played and Manion and McAuley were declared the winners.

This is but the beginning of a series of entertainments for the winter.

HAMPDEN NEWS.

Mr. Rives Mitchell, of Bangor, was in town Tuesday.

Mr. Ossian F. Taylor, class of 1902, of Colby College, will spend the Thanksgiving recess with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Taylor.

Hampden Academy closed Friday after successful term of twelve weeks. It will begin again in two weeks, under the instruction of the same teachers.

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FELL THIRTY FEET.

Serious Accident to William H. Weatherby at the Stickney & Babcock Coal Wharf.

At about one o'clock Tuesday afternoon, a rather serious accident occurred at the coal wharf of the Stickney & Babcock Coal Co.

Carpenter William H. Weatherby of 67 Bowdoin street, was at work on the high stage, on which the coal from the vessels is discharged, and in some manner slipped and fell, striking heavily on the piles of the wharf 30 feet below. He was nearly stunned by the fall, but nevertheless got up and staggered a few steps until the other men came to his aid. Mr. Weatherby was severely bruised but no bones were broken. He was taken at once to his home and attended by a physician. Mr. Weatherby is a middle-aged man and the terrible shaking up which he received may result seriously. However, he was fairly comfortable in the afternoon.

NEW CORPORATIONS.

The following companies have filed certificates of incorporation at the State House:

The Boston Amusement Company, organized at Portland for the purpose of promoting dramatic entertainments with $3,000 capital stock; of which $30 is paid in. The officers are: President, C. H. Goldthwaite of Somerville, Mass.; treasurer, J. H. Emery, of Arlington, Mass. Certificates approved, Nov. --, 1899.

The Colson Furniture Company organized at Portland for the purpose of the manufacture of furniture, with $10,000 capital stock, of which $300 is paid in. The officers are: President, C. N. Colson, of Newburyport, Mass.; treasurer, W. H. Chipman, of Boston, Mass. Certificate approved, Nov. --, 1899.

The Eastern Carbon Black Company organized at Portland for the purpose $50,000 capital stock, of which $300 is paid in. The officers are: President, G. H. Morrill, Jr., of Norwood, Mass.; of manufacturing a lamp black, with treasurer, E. J. Shattuck of Norwood, Mass. Certificate approved Nov. 24, 1899.

The "Rock Creek Gold Mining Company," organized at Pittsfield for the purpose of mining with $1,000,000 capital stock, of which $30 is paid in. The officers are: President, E. D. Smith of Pittsfield, Me.; treasurer, George H. Ash of Boston, Mass. Certificate approved, Nov. 23, 1899.

The Oneida Copper Company, organized at Portland with a capital of $2,500,000 with $125 paid in. The purpose is to do a general mining and quarrying business. Alexander Elliott of Gloucester, Mass., is president, and H. L. Baker of Boston, is treasurer.

The seven following companies have filed certificates of incorporation at the State House:

The Coleman Supply Company, organized at Kittery for the purpose of dealing in drugs, with $15,000 capital stock, of which nothing is paid in. The officers are: President, F. E. Coleman of Brookline, Mass.; treasurer, I. M. Beaman of Westboro, Mass. Certificate approved, Nov. 18, 1899.

The Berhard-Richards Company (Limited), organized at Kittery for the purpose of conducting a publishing business, with $100,000 capital stock, of which nothing is paid in. The officers are: President, George L. Richards of Boston, Mass.; treasurer, George Bernard of Boston, Mass. Certificate aproved. Nov. 18, 1899.

The Stewart-Potter Last Company, organized at Portland for the purpose of manufacturing boots and shoes with $15,000 capital stock of which $150 is paid in. The officers are: President, H. T. Blake, of Haverhill, Mass.; treasurer, Hugh Mulhalland of Boston. Certificate approved, Nov. 21, 1899.

The States Chemical Company, organized at Saco for the purpose of manufacturing a bleaching powder, with $500,000 capital stock, of which nothing is paid in. The officers are: President, G. D. Atkins of Newton, Mass.; treasurer, J. P. Estabrook of Newton, Mass. Certificate approved, Nov. 18, 1899.

The Morse Perfect Fitting Shoe Company, organized at Portland for the purpose of manufacturing boots and shoes, with $100,000 capital stock, of which nothing is paid. The officers are: President, L. K. Morse of Haverhill, Mass.; treasurer, Hugh Mulhalland of Boston. Certificate approved, Nov. 21, 1899.

The Byfield Tobacco and Snuff Company, organized at Portland for the purpose of manufacturing tobacco in its various forms, with $10,000 capital stock, of which $30 is paid in. The officers are: President, H. B. Russ of Portland, Me.; treasurer, E. W. Hunt of Portland, Me. Certificate approved, Nov. 21, 1899.

The Never Slip Wire Stitcher and Novelty Company, organized at Augusta for the purpose of manufacturing a patent wire stitcher, with $10,000 capital stock, of which nothing is paid in. The officers are: President, C. A. Miller of West Farmington, O.; treasurer, L. B. Kennedy, of West Farmington, O. Certificate approved, Nov. 20, 1899.

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Sister Beatrice	3124
Miss Hincks	2080
Annie Hurley	1860
Gertrude Welch	1482
Sister Sylvia	1413
Lizzie Norton	1245
Mattie B. French	1114
Sue Swett	1102
Hattie L. Mosher	1064
Nora Collins	987
Alice Bucknam	922
Alice Collins	819
Maud Rogers	770
Caro Morrison	766
Mabel Dealing	725
Lottie Smith	685
Annie Neville	658
M. O. Straw	645
Georgia Hutchinson	639
Miss Shaw	511
Mabel Levenseller	495
Rosa B. Berry	478
Sarah Ryder	468
Alma L. Davis	461
Marguerite Webster	[illegible]
Lizzie Nickerson	[illegible]
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MAINE BRED.

In its notes on some new horses on the speedway the New York Sun says: "The little bay pacing mare Ada P., 2:09¾, that Charles Weiland recently bought to replace Jubilee Wilkes, 2:11¼, took the scalps off a lot of fast ones. Her most notable victory was won from the fast brown pacer, Flossie B., 2:20¼, by Phil Sheridan, Jr., driven by George McBride. The pair had it nip and tuck until the brown mare made a break after going half a mile or more on almost even terms with her rival. Both pacers are newcomers on the Speedway."

This game little mare is a Maine bred one. She is by Bloodmont and he was by Olympus, the famous Maine stallion owned by Hon. M. N. McKusick, of Calais. Ada P. will doubtless prove a great road horse as she is not only very fast, but gets away quickly and is level headed.

WILL INVESTIGATE PROMPTLY.

New York Chief of Police Orders that Any Irregular Banking or Investment Methods Be Thoroughly Looked Into.

New York, Nov. 28. Chief of Police Devery today sent the following order to the commanding officers in all the boroughs:

"Whenever it shall in any way come to your notice that any banking concern, brokerage business, investment enterprise or similar concern or any concern alleging to do a similar business to that of banking, brokerage or investment houses doing business in such a manner as to suggest that its methods are irregular or illegal, you will cause a prompt and thorough investigation to be made for the purpose of ascertaining whether such suspicious is illegal or not, and if it is found that such suspected business is not being legally carried on, you will forthwith notify this office in writing of the result of your investigation and will take such other police action as the circumstances of the case and your duties as a commanding officer may require, and send a full report to this office as to action taken."

"I suffered for months from sore throat. Eclectric Oil cured me in [illegible] hours." M. S. Gist, Hawes-[illegible]

New Dried Fruit, Raisins, Currants, Citron, Lemon and Orange Peel, Figs, Prunes, Nuts, &c., &c.

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TEA WHITE'S.

WANTED.

A First Class Horse [illegible] Apply at once.

FRANK PERKINS, Calais, [illegible]

SOLD WASHED REVENUE ST[illegible]

Man Who Has Defrauded the [illegible] ment of Large Amounts Arrest[illegible]

New York, Nov. 28. A string [illegible] rand boys and junior clerks [illegible] in the broker offices in the [illegible] world, has daily for some we[illegible] seen going in and out of the [illegible] store run by David D. Badeau [illegible] 12 Broadway. Scrutiny of [illegible] business by Internal Revenue [illegible] Thompson has developed it [illegible] that the proprietor was buying [illegible] selling washed internal revenue [illegible] at the rate of between $5,000 [illegible] a day. Having secured the [illegible] necessary to warrant Badeau's [illegible] Agent Thompson late today raided [illegible] stamp store, arrested the [illegible] and seized in all about 5,000 [illegible] stamps, worth from $1 to $50 [illegible] Many of the stamps had been [illegible] and the traffic in them in a vi[illegible] of the federal statutes. Ba[illegible] taken to the general postoffice [illegible] he said he resided at East Or[illegible] J., and that he had been in the [illegible] business since July, 1898. He [illegible] terwards arraigned before [illegible] missioner Shields and held [illegible] bail for examination on Tuesday.

Agent Thompson says [illegible] the time that Badeau was in [illegible] he had cleared about $30,000 by t[illegible] of washed internal revenue [illegible] and that the government was [illegible] ed out of at least twice that [illegible] by the shady transactions.

WILL VISIT PRUSSIA.

Emperor William Obtains a [illegible] tional Promise from Queen Vic[illegible] to that Effect.

London, Nov. 28. Truth announ[illegible] that Emperor William has [illegible] one of the ends of his visit to En[illegible] in having induced Queen Victoria [illegible] give a conditional promise to v[illegible] Prussian court during the last [illegible] of April. She will travel, it is [illegible] from North Italy to Germany [illegible] St. Gothard tunnel and will be [illegible] many's guest for several days at [illegible] lentz or Potsdam. Her Majesty's [illegible] will be entirely private. There will [illegible] no receptions, reviews or other w[illegible] some functions.

CATARRH FOR TWENTY YEARS AND CURED IN A FEW DAYS.—Nothing too simple, nothing too hard for Dr. Agnew's Catarrhal Powder to give relief in an instant. Hon. George James, of Scranton, Pa., says: "I have been a martyr to Catarrh for 20 years, constant hawking, dropping in the throat and pain in the head, very offensive breath. I tried Dr. Agnew's Catarrhal Powder. The first application gave intant relief. After using a few bottles all these symptoms of Catarrh left me." Sold by Caldwell Sweet.—9

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THE LOCAL NEWS.

Mr George H. Nutter went to Boston on Tuesday.

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Mr Waldo T. Pierce, of Boston, is at the Bangor House.

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Judge F. D. Dearth, of Dexter, was in the city yesterday.

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Game Warden C C. Nichols has returned from the western part of the state.

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Dr Marshall and son Harold left this morning for a few days' visit to Foxcroft.

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Mr. A. F. Gerald of the Howland Pulp Co has gone to Boston to spend Thanksgiving.

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Land Commissioner Charles E. Oak of Caribou, was in the city Tuesday at the Bangor House.

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Mrs P. T. Black of Waterville has come to Bangor where she will remain over Thanksgiving.

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Mr C S. Pearl of Bangor, one of the trustees of the Maine Insane hospital, was in Augusta Monday.

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Mr. J B. Carter, the contractor for the lately finished Van Buren branch of the Bangor and Aroostook railroad, went to Boston on Monday.

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Congressman Burleigh, accompanied by Mrs. Burleigh and Miss Ethel Burleigh of Augusta, left on the forenoon train Sunday for Boston, where they expect to remain for several days, leaving there the latter part of the week for Washington.

WHIG ADVERTISERS.

A Word to the Wise in a Nutshell—Enterprising Dealers' Offerings.

Probate court and mercantile surety bonds are safe to invest in. Talk with Blake, Barrows & Brown.

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If you are short of table cutlery call on P. H. Vose & Co.

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James A. Robinson & Son are offering trousers now at a very low figure. Go in and let them tell you about it.

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Bargains in hats and bonnets at O. F. Patten & Co.'s.

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Thanksgiving turkeys at the Central market.

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See how Tea White's voting contest stands now.

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Sweet potatoes and Thanksgiving supplies at Fred T. Hall's.

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Top off your dinner with one of Sweet's cigars.

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Tyler, Fogg & Co. can tell you all about securities.

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Look for your Christmas gifts at Rice & Miller's.

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Go to Lynch's for Thanksgiving turkeys and other supplies.

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All kinds of poultry at W. H. Crocker's in Pickering square.

A. O. U. W. MEET.

Important Session Held in the City Tuesday Night—Grand Master Crary Present.

On Tuesday evening Anchor lodge, A. O. U. W., held an initiating session at their hall on Franklin street at which Grand Master Nathan Crary, the highest official of the New England jurisdiction, presided, assisted by Rev. E. S. Cummings of Augusta, Judge Andrews of Auburn and the members of the Bangor lodge. Many of the members of the eastern Maine district and delegates from a dozen or more towns in this vicinity were presented and given the third degree, making 600 candidates thus far that Anchor lodge has initiated.

After the regular meeting a banquet and smoke talk was held in the lodge room at which speeches were made and a general good time participated in.

MELVILLE TO BLAME.

Such Is the Report of the Railroad Commissioners from Their Investigation into the Railroad Accident at Milo.

Augusta, Me., Nov. 28. The railroad commissioners reported today upon their findings in the investigation of the railroad accident at Milo. This accident occurred on the Bangor & Aroostook in the early morning hours of October 28. In it an engine ran into the rear end of a freight, killing John Melville. The commissioners find that Melville did not obey orders and instead of going back to signal any approaching engine or train, remained in the caboose. Consequently the blame is laid entirely upon him.

Neither Big Master nor Marseilles White Soap contain any ingredients that will gradually eat up your clothes. 4

LATEST WAR BULLETIN.

They are after Aguinaldo and have him nearly bottled up. Wyman is bottling his Pine, Cherry and Tar Expectorant, and guaranteeing it to cure a cough or money refunded. Price 25 cents. Wyman, the Druggist, Bucksport, Me.

PROBATE COURT.

November Term Opened On Tuesday Forenoon.

Many Important Wills Taken Care of—Court Room a Busy Place.

With Judge James H. Burgess presiding the November term of the court of probate for Penobscot county was opened at the court house at 10 o'clock Tuesday forenoon. Not for several sessions have so many important wills been passed upon and the court room was an exceedingly busy place for the opening day.

The estate of the late Mrs Mary Ellen Emery, who died a few weeks ago, at Natick, Mass., was the most important before the court on Tuesday.

MRS. EMERY'S WILL.

Mrs Emery with one exception made small bequests to most of her near relatives, the residuary legatees being grand nieces and grand nephews, of which there are several.

To Lydia W. Leadbetter, a sister, of Weston, Mass., is given outright $10,000.

The sum of $4000 each is given to sisters-in-law, Mrs Charlotte Sewall of Hampden and Mrs. Elmira Goddard of Walpole, Mass.

Annie W Briggs of Auburndale, Lydia Ellen Irving of Weston and Sarah M Hastings of Waltham, nieces, are given $1000 each.

Nephews, Roderick Hunt Pomeroy of Bangor, John E. Bragdon of Haverhill, Albert W. Briggs of Dorchester, Chas. Mason of Boston and William P. Briggs of Auburndale are given $1000 each.

Mrs Sarah Palmer of Bangor and Helen R. Hill of Dover receive $500 each.

PUBLIC BEQUESTS.

To the Bangor Home for Aged Women and the the humane society Mrs Emery gave $500 each, and to the town of Hampden was given $200 on condition that the interest on the amount should be used in the care of the Pomroy lot in the cemetery in that town.

RESIDUARY BEQUESTS

The residue of the estate, which is supposed to be of considerable proportions, is left to grand nieces and grand nephews, the children of nieces and nephews named above. The residence at Fourth and Cedar streets with the personal property therein, is included. The residuary legatees number, it is thought a little more than half a dozen persons, among whom what will probably amount to the bulk of the property will be divided, the total specific bequests disposing of less than $30,000.

The will was drawn by Samuel F Humphrey, Esq., of Bangor, and was signed and dated on Sept. 13, 1893 There were no codicils. Judge Humphrey was made the executor without bond.

OTHER WILLS ALLOWED.

Other wills allowed were as follows: Estates of Susan May White, Corinna; Thomas J Dillingham, Hampden; Caroline Tyler Gould, Dixmont; Nancy Fogg, Bangor; Affie Jane Call, Garland, Charles Newcomb.

FOR NOTICE

The following wills were filed for notice: Estates of Silas Mason, Garland; Ezikiel A. Pinkham, Plymouth; Aren M. Harrington, Newport, Martha E. Burgess, Newport; Ellen L. Kennedy, Carmel; Betsey M Smith, Bangor; Silas McPhetres, Greenbush, and Joseph F. Snow, Bangor.

FASIG-TIPTON SALE.

Horses Belonging to Col. Lawrence Kip Disposed of at Good Prices.

New York, Nov. 28. The feature of the Fasig-Tipton sale of horses at Madison Square Garden today fas the disposal of the horses that belonged to the late Col. Lawrence Kip. The attendance was very large and the horses brought good prices, as did a number of lots made up of traps, harness, whips and robes.

In the morning a number of horses from Gen Benjamin F. Tracy's Marshland stud farm at Stony Ford, N. Y., were sold, and the prices were low.

Col. Kip's horses brought the following prices

Gambella, 2.12, b m 1894, by Gambrel-Nelly Mac, blue rubbon winner 1899, sold to T. W. Lawson, Boston, $3200.

Water Maid, 2 19½, b m 1892, by Waterloo-Michigan Mattie, blue ribbon winner in 1898, sold to T. W. Lawson, Boston, $1300.

Emoleta, 2 24½, b m 1887, by Sealskin-Rosedale, world's champion show mare, sold to J. A. Lewis, New York, $725.

Water Cress, 2 27¾, b m 1894, by Waterloo-Michigan Mattie, blue ribbon winner, sold to Matt Dwyer, agent, $600.

Harmony, b m 1894, by Gambrel-Lady Von, sold to Lloyd Phoenix, New York, $850.

Melody, b m 1893, by Ponchion-Porter Mare, blue ribbon winner in 1899, sold to J. A. Lewis, New York, $600.

Music, b m 1892, by Pilot Medium-Estrild, sold to Elmer Stevens, New York, $650.

EMPEROR WILLIAM'S GIFT.

Port Victoria, Nov. 28. Emperor William, before he embarked, left £300 with Col. Marshall for the benefit of the children of the soldiers of the first (Royal) dragoons, now campaigning in South Africa, of which regiment His Majesty is honorary colonel.

MONTAUK DELAYED BY POOR HAY

Boston, Nov. 28. The sailing of the steamer Montauk which has been loading hay for South Africa has been delayed a number of days, as much of the hay has failed to pass inspection. This delay is not only unsatisfactory to the British government, as the hay is greatly needed by the cavalry in South Africa, but it also is a matter of no small expense to the government as the demurrage on the steamer is $250 per day. Canadian officials acting for the British government have agreed to get the steamer Montauk at Cape Town by the first of January however and the work of replacing the condemned hay by a better quality will be pushed. The Montauk will carry 2,800 tons of hay, all of which has been shipped from Canada. The cargo will be made up of 1800 tons in ordinary bales and 1000 tons in compressed bales.

ARE BUSY.

Bangor's Marketmen Are All Hustling Well.

Greatest Display of Poultry Ever Seen in This City.

The Festive Day at Home and Abroad.

Bangor people gaze in at the store windows with the hungry, wolfish look this week, a look that the marketmen never fail to appreciate, and which is always noticeable just before the season of Thanksgiving.

In order to encourage this laudable sentiment on the part of the laity, the high priests of the market and the grocers have made the benches, show cases, racks and refrigerators teem with good things to eat.

Every grocer wears a smile, and the people catch the contagion and are glad.

The Maine turkeys have been searched for near and far. A well known farmer says. "The Maine turkey raisers will haul in the dollars this year. I saw a farmhouse the other day where all summer 25 turkeys had strutted about the door, but where today those 25 fatlings are hanging straight and fat in the shed attic, waiting for the team that carries them to market. The marketmen have been tumbling over each other to get at them for two weeks. A good Maine turkey ought to bring 25 cents a pound the growers not expecting to make anything out of the birds. They get enough from the watery birds. We can sell you Maine turkeys around at the stores without any trouble for 22 cents the day before Thanksgiving we say.

FOR CRANBERRY SAUCE.

There are barrels of red ripe cranberries in the stores, great piles of sage, that grew along the stone walls of the farm yards.

Without the wine-like sauce of the cranberry, the great dinner tomorrow would seem like the mockery of a religious service, without perfume of the sage, and the pungent taste thereof, the turkey would be nothing but chips and pulp. Ah, these sage beds of the country. The old attic where the herbs hung in childhood. There was grandmother's pillow case full of motherwort, the bag of pennyroyal, the sack of sage, the horsemint, the spearmint, and all the mints and herbs that grandmother knew so well how and when to use. She was the home physician, the spicer of all occasions from the Christmas plum duff to the Thanksgiving turkeys.

How good the low, broad attic smelled when the popcorn hung in rows and the spices and perfumes of all the gathered mints hung in the dry air about the yellow and brown rafters. And when the day before Thanksgiving the big bag of sage disappeared from the attic and there was mystery about the buttery door, we all knew what it meant, and appreciated that the great day was at hand.

Down at Lynch's, The Public Market, Oscar Fickett's, The Central Market, at Dunning's and many other well known Thanksgiving trading houses will be found one of the finest displays of poultry, meats and all the fixin's ever seen in Bangor.

It is a fact that the traders will dispose of tons of poultry this week to Bangor people and those living within the city limits. Several concerns have already sent large orders to various points up river and down and expect before the week is over to have to fill more.

Never before were the stores and market places in such a pink of condition.

Fine strings of turkeys hang within and without and the various other varieties of fowl as they are arranged about make a grand spectacle which is worth the while of anyone to go a long distance to see.

It looks like prosperity every way one can look and all places present a busy aspect.

OUR ABSENT ONES.

While we are anticipating a great feast and joyous times at home, let us not forget our friends and kin in far-off lands whose thanksgiving will be of a different character. A well known writer says of Thanksgiving in our colonies:

The outcome of the war with Spain introduces a new element into the holiday making in those far away islands. In place of the national day in the city of Manila, Havana, Ponce or Honolulu, the days of the Stars and Stripes will now supersede them.

It would be idle to expect that the nations would enter into the spirit of this so characteristic American holiday. They may come in for the "turkey and fixin's," but whether they will precede that ceremony by a visit to the parish church or to a cock fight is hard to foretell. There, however, thousands of true Yankee hearts scattered all over the colonies, doing patrol duty in Porto Rico or Havana, stopping at Honolulu in transit for the Philippines, doing garrison duty in the little island of Guam or in the frozen land of Alaska, chasing the elusive Aguinaldo in the jungles of the island of Luzon, fighting in the trenches in other parts of the Philippines or their regular service duty in the various foreign squadrons. For these men Thanksgiving day with its turkey dinner, will be a strong reminder of home.

Last year there was a dearth of turkeys in our new possessions, but arrangements have been made to avoid such a discrepancy this year as far as possible, and large consignments of them have been shipped to Manila and Cuba.

Several especially large consignments have been shipped to the Philippines, where it is apparent that the great American bird will be appreciated.

IN THE PHILIPPINES.

In the Philippines there will be a celebration at home. The officers of the various ships and regiments have issued invitations on a large scale and will entertain each other royally. Among their guests will be the foreign consuls at Manila and some of the leading merchants of the city.

The harbor will be ablaze with bunting, salutes will be fired and the occasion made as festive as possible.

Last year the Cubans took very little notice of the day, but their closest inter-course with Americans promises to put a different aspect on affairs this years, and at some of the native clubs Thanksgiving dinners have been arranged in honor of American guests who have been specially invited.

The city of Havana will be decorated with flags and bunting and the day observed in as orthodox a manner as possible, at least by the American element.

Thanksgiving Day is not so new and unknown a thing in Honolulu as might be expected. For years, however, the American church there made much of the holiday. They held impressive services, the building was decorated by the ladies with flowers and fruits and everybody attended dressed in their best.

And so a day that first had its inception in a small body of all but religious refugees in the old Plymouth colony of Massachusetts now is spread all over the world.

TAKES POSSESSION.

State Trust Company as Trustee of First Mortgage of Harper Brothers, Will Control the Property For a Time.

New York, Nov. 28. The State Trust Company, as trustee of the first mortgage of Harper & Brothers, issued today the following notice.

All persons will please take notice that the State Trust Company as trustee under the first mortgage made by the corporation of Harper & Brothers to the State Trust Company as trustee, in pursuance of the provisions of section two of article three of said mortgage, has entered into and upon all and every part of the property, including the publication of the periodicals known as Harper's Magazine, Harper's Weekly, Harper's Bazaar and Harper's Round Table, and that until further notice neither the corporation of Harper & Brothers will exercise any power to use, operate, manage or control said mortgaged property or premises, or to conduct the business thereof.

The State Trust Company has appointed Mr G. B M Harvey to be its agent in the possession, operation, management and control of the said property, premises and business, and until further notice he will be respected accordingly. This action on the part of the Trust Company was taken by request of the members of the Harper's corporation, who, on Nov. 27, sent a letter to Messrs J. P. Morgan & Co. in which they in part said:

"It is due to you, as the principal creditors of Harper & Bros., to know that, owing to the financial stringency and the fact that the bulk of our assets are not available for quick realization or collateral purposes, the company may and probably will be unable to meet its maturing obligations. We consider it our duty, therefore, to decline to avail ourselves of your generous offer to increase the amount of your loan, and to seek your co-operation in another way, better adapted in our judgment to conserve the interests of all our creditors.

"We are satisfied that with capable single-headed management, which we believe we have now secured, the property may be made capable of earning a material amount in excess of that required to pay the interest not only upon your lien but also upon the unsecured claims, amounting to approximately $2,000,000, the usual payment of which in full it is our desire to assure.

"A reorganization of the company upon a permanent and substantial basis would conserve the interests of all creditors, provided the property it is known under the sole direction of Mr Harvey, who has already effected reforms which will result in a saving of more than $100,000 per year."

J. P. Morgan & Co., in reply to the foregoing: "The downfall of the house of Harper & Bros. would be a national calamity. Everything that can be done lawfully to prevent it should be done. Under the circumstances, we think your plan will prove in the end to have been the best for all your creditors and it will receive our hearty co-operation."

BURNED TO DEATH.

Two Persons Met Death and Several Were Injured in a Fierce Fire in New York.

New York, Nov. 28. Two persons were burned to death, several were injured and a score or more had a narrow escape for life in a fire that burned fiercely in a four story brick building at No. 140 Houston street this afternoon. The dead are Wm. Helmboldt, veteran of the civil war, and his wife, Matilda.

George Reid, who boarded on the fourth floor, jumped from the window injuring himself internally. He may die.

George Leonard, a rheumatic, was carried down from the top floor unconscious. Several others were overcome by the smoke.

The building and contents were damaged to the extent of $5000.

GIVEN A SHAKING UP.

Boston, Nov. 28. The Thanksgiving poultry trade was given a shaking up today by the condemnation by health officers of large consignments of western fowl. Prices had been low and trade good, but the rejection of practically half the consignment has sent up quotations. The chief trouble was sourness and the prevailing warm weather is responsible for this. The aggregate losses upon whomever they fall, are considerable.

Four tons of condemned birds were taken to Spectacle island as fertilizer. The birds from northern New England and New York seem to be in good condition.

KILLED BY A TRAIN.

Salmon Falls, N. H., Nov. 28. John Stockdale, aged 50 years, was run over by a freight train on the western division of the Boston and Maine railroad here this evening. His injuries resulted in his death within a few minutes after the accident. He leaves a

LATEST!

ON A MOUNTAIN.

Col. Bell Defeats and Scatters Brigades of Gens. Alejandrino and San Miguel.

Manila, Nov. 29.—10.10 A. M. Col. Bell has defeated and scattered the brigades of Gen. Alejandrino and Gen. San Miguel. The engagement took place on the summit of a mountain, the insurgents being so confident of the impregnability of their position that they had their families with them.

The Americans captured all the enemy's munitions and artillery.

WITH MILITARY HONORS.

Omaha, Neb., Nov. 28. Major Guy Howard, who was killed in the Philippines last October was buried here today with military honors, interment being in Prospect Hill cemetery. The funeral was strictly private and was conducted at the residence of Judge J. M. Woolworth, father-in-law of the major.

NOT YET ARRESTED.

Police Have No Idea of William F. Miller's Whereabouts—Bankruptcy Proceedings Instituted.

New York, Nov 28. Wm. F. Miller, who conducted the Franklin Syndicate in Brooklyn, has not yet been arrested and the police have not the faintest idea where he is.

The Franklin Syndicate safe, which was locked up by Miller the last thing before he took flight, was opened today. In it was found 190 shares of Brooklyn Rapid Transit stock and a few worthless scraps of paper. There was not a penny of cash and nothing of value except the stock. A majority of it had been purchased at 88¾ and the balance at 88½. Postmaster Wilson of Brooklyn has received an order from the postmaster general directing him to return, so far as possible, to the senders all letters addressed to the syndicate. About 1700 pieces of mail including over $12 000 worth of money orders, have accumulated since Saturday.

Involuntary bankruptcy proceedings against the syndicate were instituted in the United States court today before Judge Thomas, by Chas. J. Belfer and Samuel J. Flash, attorneys representing depositors whose claims aggregate over $50 000. They allege in their petition that a large part of the syndicates property has been concealed with intent to defraud creditors. These bankruptcy proceedings, it is said will take precedence over all other claims filed against the syndicate.

HAS MADE A CONFESSION.

Benjamin Lincoln Says that He Accidentally Shot George W. Mears, While the Boys were Hunting.

Wallsboro, Me., Nov. 28. Word was received here today from Washington, Me., to the effect that Benjamin Lincoln, the young companion of George W Mears, the boy who died last Saturday from the effects of a gunshot wound and which Lincoln claimed the boy inflicted by his own carelessness, has confessed that he shot the boy but that it was accidental. Lincoln says he was about to fire at a squirrel, when his gun was accidentally discharged, the contents hitting Mears, who was preceding him in the woods, where they were both in pursuit of game. The boys were the best of friends and Lincoln is terribly grieved over the affair. He explains the reason for not telling how the accident occurred, was because he was so overcome by the deed. It is understood that no action will be taken as it is generally believed Mears' death was an accidental one and that Lincoln had no intention of doing the shooting.

WILL BE TRIED IN PORTLAND.

Elmer Maxwell, Who Killed Capt. Baisley on Schooner J. B. Vandusen Must Come Before United States Court.

St. John, N. B., Nov. 28. Elmer Maxwell, who on Nov. 11, killed Capt. George Baisley on the American schooner J. B. Vandusen, in the Bay of Fundy, will soon be taken to Portland, Me., for trial. How soon depends entirely on whether or not he fights extradition. Attorney General White said he had today notified the American consul the case should go before a United States court as the crime was committed on an American ship. Her position with respect to the three mile limit he said, cut no figure as the Bay of Fundy he claimed, is all Canadian water and no part of it high sea.

Consul Myers will at once take steps for Maxwell's removal to Portland.

WILL BE HELD SATURDAY.

Washington, Nov. 28. Congressman J. D. Richardson of Tennessee, tonight authorized the statement that the Democratic caucus to select candidates for a speaker and other officers of the next house will be held at 1 o'clock next Saturday afternoon.

MARRIED.

In Hampden, Nov. 25, by Augustus Alden, Esq., Mr. Elias Johnson and Miss Celia B. Lamsen, both of Bangor.

DIED.

In this city, Nov. 26, William Henry Tarr, aged 68.

Funeral Friday, Dec. 1st, at 10 A. M., from his late residence, 30 Center street. Burial at Carmel, Me. Friends invited.

In Bangor, Nov. 28, Margaret E., wife of John Landers, aged 58 years, 3 months and 12 days.

Funeral to be announced.

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500 lbs fancy citron	15c lb	1 00 lbs Rio	10c " 13c
200 lbs fancy new figs	13c lb, 2 for 25c	500 lbs Fancy Rio	15c " 18c
1 cases pop corn	8 pkgs for 25c	500 lbs Golden Rio	15c " 20c
100 boxes fancy new raisins	9c, 3 for 25c	25 chests Extra Formosa Tea	35c " 50c
25 boxes prunes (new)	6 , 5 lbs for 25c	25 chests Fancy Formosa Tea	40c " 60c
25 boxes fancy prunes	4 lbs for 25c	10 chests Extra Formosa Tea	45c " 70c
10 boxes Silver prunes	10c lb	10 chests Best Formosa Tea	55c " 80c
5 boxes peaches	15c, 2 for 25c	C Tartar, S & P	2c lb 8c, or 30c lb
Best seeded raisins	11c pkg	C Tartar, S & P in bulk	25c lb
Best cleaned currants	10c pkg	C Tartar, Baker's, bulk	18c lb
Stickney & Poor's spices	¼ lb pkgs 5c		
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UNSEAWORTHY.

(Continued from First Page.)

interviewed a number of officials today and it was stated that the Manauense was in first class condition when she left this port on Oct. 26.

Her engines had been thoroughly overhauled and her fittings were said to be in the best of condition. Her hold was said to be full of supplies for the soldiers and the officials here are at a loss to explain the alleged shortness of the food supply. That she was undermanned is absolutely denied, because had she been clearance papers from this port would not have been issued.

Regarding the alleged unseaworthiness of the vessel, it can be stated that she was inspected by the treasury department and was passed as in first class trim before she left this port. Lloyd's local inspector, Capt Metcalf, also inspected the vessel and passed her.

The local inspectors of hulls and boilers say they made a thorough examination and found her engines in excellent condition, and in fact that the Manauense was generally credited with being one of the best fitted vessels in the transport service. The officials further say that the only source of foundation for the report that she was under provisioned may have been with regard to her supply of fresh meats, of which she took a good supply from here, but which may have been spoiled from some accident to the refrigerating plant which gave trouble at Honolulu.

If the typhoon through which the Manauese passed was a severe one they say, it is not at all unlikely that some accident might have happened to her machinery, necessitating the shutting down for several hours so that repairs should be effected. This is the only explanation given regarding the reported rotten condition of her machinery and they assert that the fact that the Manauense lived through the typhoon is enough to contradict the story of her unseaworthiness.

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STATE OF MAINE.



THANKSGIVING PROCLAMATION

By the Governor.

As we approach the termination of the year, we should be devoutly conscious of the manifold blessings which it has so abundantly brought to our State and all that dwell therein, with no grudging hand. Abundant harvests successful business activity and enterprise unprecedented prosperity, happiness and progress have signally marked and empassized the benefits and enjoyments which have crowned the rolling seasons of the year For these and many other temporal blessings—for health and exemption from all calamities and contagious diseases—for high religious and educational privileges and advancement, and especially for the spirit of patriotism self-sacrifice and devotion to the best interests of humanity, progress and good government that has guided and determined our onward march as a people among the nations of the earth, we have indeed abundant reasons for thanksgiving and for humbly and reverently recognizing the goodness of "the Lord of Hosts" wonderful in counsel and excellent in working" Therefore I Llewellyn Powers Governor of the State of Maine conforming to and adopting the time named in the Thanksgiving Proclamation of the President of the United States do, with the advice and consent of the Executive Council, hereby designate

Thursday, the 30th Day of November, A. D. 1899,

as a day of general Thanksgiving, to be observed by all the inhabitants of our State in their homes and churches. And I earnestly request them on that day to refrain from all unnecessary labor, and also to remember by appropriate gifts and substantial aid the poor, the unfortunate and the suffering as charity and benevolence are among the most devout and christian thanks that can be proffered to Him whose "hand has been upon us for good" and whose goodness and guidance, we, one and all, desire to thankfully recognize and acknowledge

Given at the Executive Chamber at Augusta, this thirteenth day of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine and the Independence of the United States of America the one hundred and twenty-fourth

LLEWELLYN POWERS.

By the Governor
BYRON BOYD, Secretary of State.

Now that the insurrection in the Philippines appears to be on the verge of a collapse the brave newspaper warriors who have been chattering about Gen. Otis are more ridiculous than ever.

The meeting of the Republican National Committee to name the time and place of the next Republican National Convention is set for Dec 15 at Washington. The cities to be considered are Chicago, Philadelphia, St. Louis, San Francisco, Cleveland, Minneapolis, Denver, Kansas City, Milwaukee and Buffalo

Already the annual wagonloads of Christmas gifts are beginning to flow into the White House They come from all sections of the country, and the majority are from persons personally unknown to both the President and Mrs. McKinley. Each gift that bears the name of the person sending it is acknowledged by one or other of President McKinley's private secretaries.

Short story without too many words: The United States national debt decreased in September $8,400,000. The Treasury receipts from July 1 to Oct. 1 increased $18,000,000 compared with the same period last year and $60,000,000 compared with the same period in 1897. The government receipts are in excess of expenditures and since July 1 there has been a surplus of $5,000,000.

General Palmer of Illinois is of the opinion that nothing can prevent the nomination of Bryan as the head of the Democratic ticket next year, but he is equally sure that the ticket will be defeated. With Bryan nominated, he says, nothing can disguise the real issue which is bound to be free silver. 16 to 1. Other leading gold Democrats take exactly the same view of the situation.

The Washington correspondent of the Boston Globe writes: Admiral Dewey today again repeated his former assertion that he is not a candidate for the Presidential nomination of the United States. I hope my frineds will not continue to talk of my being a candidate. The American people have too much sense to do anything of that kind. It seems to me that these so-called battle heroes have as a rule made poor Presidents. President McKinley is a good friend of mine and I shall never forget those noble, cheering messages that he sent me at Manila. I have preserved them all, and shall keep them as long as I live."

At the annual meeting of the Home Market Club in Boston, Col. Albert Clarke, the club's secretary, in the course of his report said: "It is gratifying to observe that our exports have become larger than our imports and that the products of our mills are finding increasing favor abroad. Our free trade friends keep on telling us that protection destroys commerce and that we cannot export unless we import, and also that protection defeats revenue but the country keeps on, under the wisely adjusted Dingley law, selling more, both at home and abroad. There never was a more complete vindication of the protective policy and it would seem that business men and working men can never again be misled to risk its overthrow."

The Democrats cannot bear prosperity; they told us we were doomed under the Dingley bill; that the mills still open would be closed; that we would destroy all hopes of an export trade, and that the revenues would be greatly reduced. What are the facts?

Customs receipts September, 1894 (first year Wilson law)	$15,564,900
Customs receipts September, 1895 (second year Wilson lay)	14,563,967
Customs receipts September, 1896 (third year Wilson law)	14,653,967
Customs receipts September, 1897 (first year Dingley law)	7,942,100
Customs receipts September, 1898 (second year Dingley law)	16,759,574
Customs receipts September, 1899 (third year Dingley law)	19,120,357

All the mills are open, many are working night and day. Countless new enterprises are starting and we have taken the lead as an export nation.

The Condition of Labor.

A Kansas City writer in the American Economist makes Mr. Bryan's famous figure of speech ridiculous by subjecting it to the test of the substantial evidences of prosperity now so general all over the country. Among other things he says: The army of the unemployed is at work. The soldier who marched under the command of General Coxey or Carl Brown has a job if he wants it.

Evidences of the fact that these are laboring men's times loom up before one by the time he can get a block from the depot. There is more work than workers. The toiler is in demand, he has it his way; there is competition for his services, wages are advancing. That is what makes times good. The country cannot have hard times when the wage earner has steady employment at good pay, and when the farmer has a good price for his produce.

It seems that all these good times had been brought about as though by magic. It was not magic. Before he was elected President Mr. McKinley told us what was needed. When he said it seemed to him that it would be better to open our mills to the labor of America than our mints to the silver of the world, his words were good, hard headed protective sense

But Bryan in smooth metaphor told the Republicans that they must not press the crown of thorns on the brow of labor; that they must not crucify mankind on a cross of gold.

McKinley opened the mills by putting a protective tariff duty on foreign goods. These times of steady work and advancing wages are what Mr. McKinley said would come, are what Mr. Bryan said would not come.

The States of the West are beginning to call on each other for help in these times of long demand and short supply of labor.

Here are a few sample thorns that are being pressed down on the brow of labor right here in Kansas City. I plucked them off an advertising board on Union Avenue:

Laborers wanted daily for Memphis; transportation free.

We want coal miners for Colorado and New Mexico. The Colorado Fuel & Iron Co.

100 Rock men wanted; fare free.

We want carpenters at 27½ cents an hour

Wanted, men for a fence gang at $1.75 a day.

Laborers wanted daily for Wyoming, no office fee charged, and railroad fare furnished free.

These few little piercing "thorns" tell of a wreath of prosperity that reaches from Tennessee to the Pacific Coast.

The 1899 army of the unemployed that was to march across the continent under the leadership of Carl Brown started at Witchita and ended at Witchita. Signs like these in Kansas City stand out like picket posts of prosperity to intercept him. It is impossible to march through the lines of jobs awaiting workers; impossible to dodge employment. These are protective times again. The free silver cry proved a false alarm, and the laborers will not be fooled by the same man flying anti-trust, anti-expansion colors.

Gen. Otis has cabled the war department announcing that the 31st volunteers who arrived on the Pekin and Manauense will garrison the ports of Mindanao. Gen. Otis also wires that the transport Port Albert sails Tuesday for San Francisco, and that the Tartar and Naworth will sail on the 29th. He also announces the arrival of the hospital ship Missouri, which sailed by way of Suez. No casualties are reported on the arriving ships.

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THE STOCK MARKET.

New York, Nov. 28. The flurry in call money in the last half hour today induced a selling movement which carried prices in the majority of the list below last night. Stocks which had advanced strongly suffered from profit taking and their gains were much reduced where they were not entirely wiped out. London, which was a heavy seller yesterday, was inclined to buy today on the new account succeeding the settlement. Yesterday's aggression upon Sugar was also discontinued and the stock was strong for the greater part of the day. An attempt was made to inaugurate a bull campaign in the iron and steel stocks but it proved abortive. Enthusiasm over Saturday's strong bank statement was much diminished by the discovery that the whole strength of the showing was due to the operations of one bank. The renewal of apprehension over the money outlook was emphasized by several developments. The operations of the sub-treasury yesterday with the banks resulted in a gain by that institution of $320,000 in spite of the government bond redemptions. The further rise in the London money rate on Thursday aroused apprehension that London will want money from New York, which is likely to displace loans by Canadian banks which have been placed here in large volume. When these various symptoms of the money condition culminated in the flurry in the call loan rate to 10 per cent., prices turned downward through the list and the tone at the close was distinctly easy.

The bond market moved in sympathy with stocks, early firmness yielding in the late dealings. Total sales par value $1,875,000 United States 5s advanced ¼ and the old 4s and new 4s ⅛ in the bid price.

NEW YORK PRODUCE.

New York, Nov. 28. Flour rects 21,509 bbls; exports 7727 bbls.; sales 9700 pkgs., steady, but not active as buyers refused to meet the stroger views of sellers, the close was firm.

Rye quiet.

Wheat rects. 295,250; exports 79,723; sales 2,100,000 bu. futures, 120,000 bu. exports; spot firm; No. 2 red 72⅞ fob afloat spot; No. 1 northern Duluth 76⅝ fob afloat to arrive prompt; No. 1 hard Duluth 77⅞ fob afloat to arrive; No. 2 red 70⅞ elevator.

Corn rects. 119,625; exports 23,080; sales 65,000 futures, 280,000 exports; spot steady; No. 2, 39¾@⅞ fob afloat and 39 elevator.

Oats rects. 197,400; exports 520 bu.; spot firm; options quiet but steady.

Beef steady; family 1250@1300.

Cut meats steady

Lard steady; western steamed closed 510, city 495; Nov. closed 540 nominal; refined steady.

Pork quiet.

Butter steady; state creamery 23@27.

Cheese firm.

Eggs steady.

Petroleum steady.

Rice firm

Molasses firm.

Freights dull.

Sugar raw steady; fair refining 3 13-16, centrifugal 96 test 4 4-16; molasses sugar 3 9-16; refined steady.

NEW YORK STOCK QUOTATIONS.

Railroads.	Nov. 28. Closing.
Atchison	23
do pfd	65¾
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	88⅜
Central Pacific	—
Chesapeake & Ohio	30
C., B. & Q.	133⅛
Delaware & Hudson	121¾
Delaware & Lackawana	189½
Delaware & Rio Grande	20⅝
Erie	13
do pfd	37½
Illinois Central	114⅜
Lake Erie & Western	20
Lake Shore	206
Louisville & Nashville	85⅝
Manhattan Elevated	104⅞
Metropolitan R. R.	193⅜
Mexican Central	13¾
Minnesota & St. Louis	66¾
do pfd	97
Missouri Pacific	48
New Jersey Central	122
New York Central	139⅞
Michigan Central	—
N. Y. C. & St. Louis	—
Northern Pacific	55⅜
do pfd	75⅝
Northwestern	168½
do pfd	—
Ontario & Western	25¼
Reading	20¼
Rock Island	113½
St. Paul	129⅝
do pfd	173½
St Paul & Omaha	117½
St. Paul, Minn. & Man.	—
do pfd	—
Texas Pacific	18⅝
Union Pacific pfd	77
Wabash, St. Paul & P.	8½
do pfd	22⅞
Boston & Maine	205
N. Y. & N. E.	—
Old Colony	207
Express Companies.	
Adams	113
American	148
United States	119
Miscellaneous.	
People's Gas	113½
Homestake	—
Ontario	—
Pacific Mail	45⅝
Sugar	154⅞
Western Union	87¾
Federal Steel	61¼
do pfd	81⅝
American Tobacco	118
do pfd	143
Tenness Coal & Iron	114¾
United States Rubber	47½
Continental Tobacco	42½
Bonds.	
United States 4s	135⅝
do coup	138⅝
United States 4s	113¼
do coup	113¼
Denver & Rio Grande 1sts	101⅜
Erie gen. 4s	71⅛
Mo., Kan. & Pacific 2ds	70¼
Oregon Navigation	108
Texas Pacific 1sts	115⅛
do pfd	54

CODITION OF GRAIN.

Chicago, Nov. 28. Wheat held steady today, supported by a better cash demand and the cessation of [illegible] higher. May corn closed a shade higher and December ⅛ off. Oats finished a trifle up and provisions unchanged to 5c over yesterday.

CATTLE, SHEEP AND SWINE.

Chicago, Nov. 28. Cattle, butchers' stock strong, active. Good to choice 340@700; poor to medium 425@520; mixed stockers 300@360; selected feeders 415@475; good to choice cows 360@440; heifers 350@475; canners 160@300; bulls 225@465; calves 400@700; fed Texas beeves 400@540; grass Texas steers 325@425; western range beeves 400@475.

Hogs closed weak; mixed and butchers 375@395; good to choice heavy 375@392½; rough heavy 365@370; light [illegible]@392½.

Sheep, opened steady, lambs 1c higher, closed easy, native wethers 390@475; lambs 400@560; western wethers 390@425; western lambs 500@535.

Cattle—3,000; hogs 36,000; sheep 14,000.

CHICAGO PRODUCE MARKET.

Chicago, Nov. 28. The leading futures closed as follows:

Wheat, Dec. 65⅞@66; May 70¼@⅜.

Corn, Dec. 31; Jan. 30⅞@⅞; May 32⅝@¾.

Oats, Dec. 22⅝; May 24.

Mess pork, Dec. 802½, Jan. 947½; May 657½.

Lard, Dec. 490; Jan. 512½; May 532½.

Short ribs, Dec. 487½, Jan. 495; May 510.

Flour easy, No. 3 spring wheat 60@65; No. 2 red 67@68.

No. 2 corn 31¼@½; No. 2 yellow corn 31½@32.

No. 2 oats 23@¼; No. 2 white 25½@¾; No. 3 white 24¾@25¾.

No. 2 rye 55½.

No. 2 barley 38@43½.

No 1 flaxseed and N. W. 139¼.

Prime timothy seed 247½@252½.

Mess pork 760@955.

Lard 460@507½.

Short ribs, sides 480@515.

Dry salted shoulders 5⅜@½.

Short clear sides 515@520.

Sugars unchanged.

Clover 800@825.

	Rects.	Shipts.
Flour	20,000	13,000
Wheat	353,000	4,000
Corn	260,000	225,000
Oats	415,000	201,000
Rye	7,000	6,000

Butter firm, creameries 18@20; dairies 16@22.

Cheese easy 11½@12½.

Eggs steady 18.

WHOLESALE PRODUCE MARKET.

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STATE LAW REGARDING WEIGHTS AND MEASURES.

A bushel of Liverpool salt shall weigh 60 pounds and a bushel of Turk's Island salt shall weight 70 pounds.

The standard weight of a bushel of potatoes, in good order and fit for shipping, is 60 pounds.

The standard weight of a bushel of beans in good order and fit for shipping, is 62 pounds. Of wheat, beets, rutabaga turnips and peas, 60 pounds; of corn, 56 pounds; of onions, 52 pounds; of carrots, English turnips, rye and Indian meal, 50 pounds; of barley and buckwheat, 48 pounds; of oats, 32 pounds or even measure as by agreement.

COUNTRY PRODUCE.

BEANS—	
Small Pea	2 00@2.25
Improved Yellow Eye per bush.	2.00@2.10
BUTTER	20@22c
CHEESE—	
Best factory per lb (new)	12@13c
Best dairy per lb (new)	12c
DRIED APPLES—	
Choice strung per lb	6@8c
Choice sliced	8@10c
EGGS—	
Cold Storage	19@20c
Country Store	23@24c
Strictly fresh	28c
HAY—	
Best loose, per ton	9.00
PEAS—	
Improved per bush	2.25
Best Canada, whole	1.10@1.25
POTATOES—	
New	40@45c
POULTRY—	
Chickens, Spring, per lb	15@20c
ONIONS—	
Per bbl	2.00@2 25

RETAIL PRICES CURRENT.

SUGAR—	
Granulated per lb	5c
Extra	6c
PORK	8c
LARD—	
Bulk from tierces, per lb	9c
OATMEAL—	
Best Scotch, per lb	5c
Best Irish	6c
Best Canada	4c
RYE MEAL per lb	3c
GRAHAM FLOUR	4c
BUCKWHEAT FLOUR	5c
SALT—	
Bangor, ground, in boxes, per box	20c
English butter salt in 14lb bags per bag	25c
In 56 lb bags	75c
Liverpool, per bush	30c
Turk's Island	30c
HERRING—	
English, scaled, in boxes, per box	25c
RAISINS—	
Loose Muscatels, per lb	20@25c
London layers	25@30c
Sultana	15@18c
CURRANTS—	
English, per lb	10@13c
KEROSENE OIL—	
150 test per gallon	12c
VINEGAR—	
Pure cider per gallon	20@25c
Pure W. W.	25c
OATS	38c
FLOUR—	
Best St. Louis	4.50@4.75
Best Spring Haxall	5.00
CORN	48c
MEAL	45c
CR. CORN	45c
FINE MIDS	1.00
BRAN	95c
MIXED FEED	1.00
BROWN DO	90c
FEED FLOUR	1.10
COTTON SEED	1.35
GLUTEN MEAL—	
Per sack	1.50
LINSEED MEAL	1.45

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HOULTON NEWS.

A Marked Moose Shot by Dr. Hubbard—A Winter Speedway Being Considered.

(Special to Whig and Courier.)

Houlton, Nov. 28. Dr. D. H. Hubbard of New York City is in town on his return from an extended trip to Square Lake, where he has been passing most of his time in the woods in the neighborhood of Mr. Daniel Cummings' sporting camp. Dr. Hubbard is the guest of Dr. T. J. Fitzmaurice while in town. He was successful during his trip in securing a fine moose which he will have mounted in this town to be shipped to him later. The animal is one with quite a tragic history. Almost three years ago two Frenchmen were in the vicinity of Square Lake in close time and startled a cow moose and a bull from the woods, causing them to take to the water and swim towards the other shore, which was quite a distance away. The two men put a canoe into the water and followed the animals until they reached the shore where they were in such an exhausted condition that they could not make headway on the muddy bottom of the lake near the shore, and driving their canoe between them the two men whipped out their hunting knives and quickly cut a large piece from the ear of each moose, saying as they did so that they would mark them if they could not kill them. Mr Cummings was told of the affair and he has always been on the lookout for moose marked in this manner, but until Dr. Hubbard's unerring aim brought the creature down, it was never heard of.

John Neadeau of Fort Kent was in town Saturday on business.

Carpenters are at work upon alterations and improvements in Music Hall. The ante-rooms which heretofore have been very inconvenient, will be thoroughly remodeled and the comfort of the theatre lover and the dancer will be kept in view.

The lobby of Hotel Dewey is being much improved by being entirely sheathed in fine quality hard pine and when finished will be a great improvement to the said hotel.

Frank R. Wilson, the taxidermist, received on Monday, three moose, six deer, one eagle, one hawk and a fox, all of which are to be mounted. The moose heads were all fine specimens.

Mr. A. A Hutchinson recently lost a valuable gold watch but was fortunate in having it returned to him by Mr. C. H. Rideout, who picked it up in the snow near the Snell House

The postoffice and the banks will be closed during the entire day next Thursday and the stores in town will probably all be closed in the forenoon

Ricker Classical Institute will be closed from Wednesday until the following Monday, giving the out of town students an opportunity to visit their homes during Thaksgiving.

Mr. George H. Gilman, the genial proprietor of the Aroostook Pioneer, was in Augusta during a part of last week on business.

The bids have closed for the storm porch to be placed at the entrance of the postoffice, but the contract has not yet been awarded.

The local horsemen are very seriously considering the question of a winter speedway, but the location of it is not yet settled. This enterprise should receive the support and commendation of every horse lover in this town, as it will be a pleasure to the owners and a benefit to the animals to have a place where fast work can be done during the entire winter without the risk of interfering with pedestrians.

"Bidda" Jott, well known as the crack first baseman of the Houlton baseball team, has signed for the coming season with the Virginia State League at a salary of $75 per month. It will be hard to find a man in eastern Maine who can acquit himself more creditably than can "Bidda," and he has the best wishes for success during the coming season, of all his friends.

Chas. Allen's tonsorial parlors have undergone repairs of late which greatly improve their appearance.

William Wilson, a veteran of the Crimean war, who received special marks of commendation from Queen Victoria for bravery in battle, served from '54 to '56 and was in the battle of Balaclava and other famous battles.

W. H. Bates, deputy sheriff of Maro, was in town on Saturday on important business,

John Carroll, formerly of this town, died at his home in Bath, N. B., on Saturday.

John Hughes of Amity, died at his home on Sunday after a long illness. Mr. Hughes was prominent in town affairs and his family and friends have the sympathy of the community.

PRESQUE ISLE NEWS.

Notes of Interest From the Northern Maine Town.

(Special to Whig and Courier.)

Presque Isle, Nov. 28. The store of the late B. B. Lancaster is closed on account of stock being taken.

The proof for the school paper of the Ashland high school, The Regina, is in the hands of Lyman Pendell and is being printed. The Regina is a breezy little school paper and contains much to interest the pupils and residents of the vicinity.

Jas. H. Oak went to Houlton Tuesday morning on business.

The Presque Isle gun club have sent invitations to the Mapleton gun club to participate in a friendly contest on Thanksgiving day at the range. The boys are assured a good time.

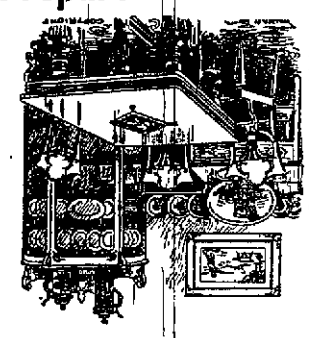
Hotel arrivals: Presque Isle House, R. S. Post, Syracuse, N. Y.; W. A. Morris, New York; J. R. Mulvaney, Bangor; G. W. Richards, C. T. Ross, Houlton; W. R. Pattee, Caribou; E. E. Milliken, Bridgewater; J. B. Orr, Chicago; F. A. Nash, Boston; J. H. Webster, Orono. West Side Hotel, Dr. Dow, Mapleton; Peter Bull, Washburn; Wm. Connelley, Patrick Crane, Mars Hill.

Mr. John McBride left Monday for Boston to remain a few weeks.

Miss Margaret. Davis returned from Monticello yesterday with her grandmother, Mrs. M. J. Hogan, with whom she has been visiting.

The Peter Paul Book Co. of Buffalo has made a general assignment to Geo. B. Hurd & Co. of New York and Boston. The capital stock is $40,000. The outstanding [illegible]

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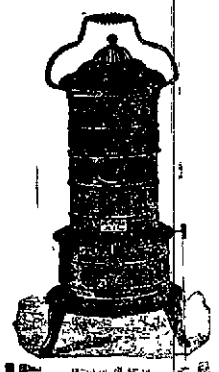
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BUCKSPORT NEWS.

Funeral of Anthony Luce—Personal Matters.

(Special to Whig and Courier.)

Bucksport, Nov. 28. The funeral of Anthony Luce occurred at the late residence on Summer street at 1 P. M. on Tuesday Rev. Charles Brown of Orrington officiated and a quartet composed of Mrs. A. F. Page, Miss Maud Nichols, Messrs. Stover and Snowman rendered appropriate selections. The bearers were A. F. Bennett, John E. McConnell, F. M. Eldridge and Walter Williams.

Montell W. Abbott, attorney at Sherman Mills, came home Monday to spend Thanksgiving.

SAW A BEAR.

Another Story Comes Down Over the "Boo" Line.

Old Bruin Appears Near Stillwater Park and Winks at Trolly Men.

Was a "Booster"---The Game Record for Tuesday.

Motorman Clark and Conductor Given have contributed their number to the series of game stories told along the line of the B. O. & O. trolley cars. On Monday afternoon on their 4.15 P. M. trip from Oldtown, as they were coming down by the lower end of the old Stillwater race track, there appeared just on the right side of the road an immense black bear, whose weight as they say, would exceed 300 pounds. He, however, made no demonstration other than to turn and leisurely walk back into the woods, after having satisfied his curiosity. As the above mentioned gentlemen are men of great veracity this story will receive due credit.

THURSDAY'S GAME RECORD.

2 buck deer, Greenville, H. S. Dyer, Foxcroft, Me.
1 buck deer, Greenville, C. S. Dill, Foxcroft, Me.
1 deer head, Blanchard, C. M. Hoxie, Dover, Me.
2 deer head, Island Falls, E. B. Black Boston, Mass.
1 deer, Sherman, D. Herlihy, Bar Harbor, Me.
1 deer, Sherman, P. H. Reardon, Gardiner, Me.
1 deer, Sherman, Francis Kelley, Gardiner, Me.
2 deer, Grindstone, L. M. Boulier, Oldtown, Me.
2 deer, Grindstone, T. R Thomas, Chelsea, Mass.
2 deer, Grindstone, Mrs. Annie S. Thomas, Chelsea, Mass
2 deer, Millinocket, W. C. Giddings, North Adams, Mass
1 deer, Ingalls Siding, C. H. Robinson, Portland, Me.
2 deer, K. I. Works, George Carson, Veazie, Me.
2 deer, K. I. Works, James Spencer, Veazie, Me.
2 deer, K. I. Works, C. P. Hodgkins, Bangor, Me.
1 deer, K. I. Works, Geo. A. Willey, Veazie, Me.
1 deer, Milo, John Robinson, Dover, Me.
1 deer, Alton, Ed. Call, Pittsfield, Me
2 deer, Greenville, W. A. Bumps, Dexter, Me.
2 deer, Greenville, F. H Ripley, Woodfords, Me.
2 deer, Greenville, H. F. Farnham, Portland, Me
1 deer, Greenville, R. L. Deering, Lewiston, Me
2 deer, Greenville, John A. Greenleaf, Auburn, Me.
1 deer, Greenville, John Murphy, Bangor, Me.
1 deer, Greenville, A. Strong, South Brewer, Me.
2 deer, Enfield, J. C. Gerald, Canton, Mass
1 deer, Enfield, H C Howard, Brockton, Mass.
1 deer, Masardis, G. H. Mains, Irvington. N. Y.
1 deer, Masardis, R. S Morse, New York, N. Y.
1 moose head and hide, Patten, W. J. Burbech, Lowell, Mass
2 deer, Patten, W. B. Johnson, Boston, Mass.
2 deer, Patten, O. Brown, Jr., New York, N. Y.
2 deer, Patten, B. H. Strout, Boston, Mass.
2 deer, Patten, H. L. Hemenway, Boston, Mass.
2 deer, Stacyville, L. B. Hallock, New York, N. Y.
2 deer, Stacyville, W. E. Brush, New York, N. Y.
2 deer, Stacyville, R. Yerxa, Oldtown, Me.
1 moose, 2 deer, Grindstone, Charles King, Oldtown, Me.
1 deer, Grindstone, Robert Cyr, Oldtown, Me.
1 deer, Norcross, H. P. Burdett, Wakefield, Mass.
1 deer, Norcross, A. M. Richardson, Wakefield, Mass.
2 deer, Norcross, J. W. Lewis, Boston, Mass.
2 deer, West Sebois, F. B. Brown, Brownville Junction, Me
2 deer, West Sebois, W. B. Spencer, Bangor, Me.
1 deer, West Sebois, F. L. Pomery, Bangor, Me.
2 deer, Machias, C. H. Fogate, Boston.
1 deer, Eastport, C. W. Bartlett, Boston.
1 deer, Enfield, S. J. Chadbourne, Augusta.
2 deer, Wytopitlock, O. H. Plummer, Monroe.
1 deer, Lincoln, C. E. Hacker, Fort Fairfield.
2 deer, Lincoln, T. E. Hacker, Fort Fairfield.
1 deer, Patten, G. A. Powers, Oldtown, Me.
1 deer head, Stacyville, Wm. Cooper, Milo, Me.
1 moose head, Fort Fairfield, S. L. Crosby, Bangor, Me.
1 deer, Ingalls Siding, A. J. Smart, Milo Me.
1 deer, No. Sebois, H. E. Allen, Bangor, Me.
2 deer, Katahdin Iron Works, R. L. Warner, Brookline, Mass.
2 deer, Katahdin Iron Works, Thomas White, Bangor, Me.
2 deer, Katahdin Iron Works, H. Jordan, Bangor, Me.
1 deer, Katahdin Iron Works, H. H. Hooper, Ellsworth, Me.
1 deer, Katahdin Iron Works, H. Hale, Ellsworth, Me.
1 deer, Columbia Falls, Wm. P. Tabbutt, Stoneham, Mass.
1 deer, Columbia Falls, J. W. Tabbutt, Stoneham, Mass.
1 deer, 1 moose, Columbia Falls, G. L. Gray, Boston, Mass.

BEARS CLIMB TREES.

A hunter who recently returned from the Dead River region reports that he saw in one place unmistakable evidence that bears climb beech trees at this season of the year for the nuts. The trees that he examined were from six to ten inches through and showed the claw marks very plainly.

SANGERVILLE NEWS.

Rev. R. H. Aldrich to Resign—Other Items of Interest About Town.

(Special to Whig and Courier.)

Sangerville, Me., Nov. 28. W. S. Ladd, of the Eastern Gazette, Dexter, was in town Monday.

W. R. Hunnewell, of Pittsfield, and H. J. Donald, of Bangor, were registered at the Sangerville House Monday.

Cadet A. Wade Campbell will arrive home Wednesday night from H. M Academy, Worcester, Mass., to spend Thanksgiving with his parents.

W. A. Pratt, formerly of the firm of Pratt & Hill, this place, was in town Friday of last week in the interest of the Eastern Gazette.

F. S. Carr, lumberman, is down from the lumber camps to spend Thanksgiving.

Court Kineeho, I. O. F., of this place received 10 new members at a special meeting held last Tuesday night. There were about 20 from Court Iris Monson, present. After the work an entertainment was given by Brother A. O. Campbell, C. R., on the phonograph. After the entertainment a banquet was served at the Sangerville House.

Mr. A. N. Sanders, one of the leading business men of this place, has just completed the remodeling of his residence on Main street. It is one of the handsomest and best arranged homes in the village.

We have been informed that Rev. R. H. Aldrich, pastor of the Universalist church of this place, will soon tender his resignation to take effect the last of the year. He will locate in Minneapolis, Minn.

W. B. Gray, Esq., formerly of this place, now located at Lincoln, Me., was in town over Sunday. His many friends will be pleased to learn that he is meeting with good success and is building up a large law practice at that place

A notice is up calling a meeting of the shareholders of the hall association Dec. 4th at 7 P. M., to see what action they will take about selling the hall property to the K. of P.

Mr. and Mrs H. S. Stubbs left for Hampden Tuesday on a short visit to friends and relatives

Mrs. A. C. Houston left for Skowhegan Tuesday morning to pass Thanksgiving with her friends.

DOVER AND FOXCROFT

Some Notes of Interest Sent in By Our Correspondent.

(Special to Whig and Courier.)

Foxcroft, Nov. 28. Mr. William C. Vaughan, formerly of Fairfield, has purchased the confectionary business until recently conducted under the firm name of A. C. Jack & Co. The store is very conveniently located in the Hale block, Foxcroft, next door to the postoffice. Mr. Vaughan is a Foxcroft boy who went to Fairfield about four years ago with Mr. W. E. Whittemore and became a stockholder in the W. E. Whittemore Furniture Co.

The Wamenock Club of Dover was the recipient of a handsome deer head last Saturday. It was a gift from Game Warden C. C. Nichols of Foxcroft. It was hung on the walls of the club rooms in the Odd Fellows' block and was much admired by the members who appreciate Mr. Nichols' gift very much.

Miss Lottie Jenison returned from Oakland Saturday where she has been assistant in the Oakland high school.

Mrs. W. C. Vaughan and child came from Fairfield last night.

Mrs William F. Rogers, of Newton Center, Mass., formerly Miss Sawyer, of Dexter, was in Dover today visiting her friend Miss Ella Kittredge.

PITTSFIELD NEWS.

Slight Fire in Corporation Boarding House—Public Library to Take Up New Quarters.

(Special to Whig and Courier.)

Pittsfield, Nov. 28. An alarm of fire was sounded from the Waverly district last night about 8 o'clock, due to a slight blaze which started in the corporation boarding house, occupied by Mrs. Hannah Emerson, calling out the hose teams and hook and ladder companies. Their services were not required, however, the fire being extinguished before they arrived on the scene. The damage done was very slight.

The public library is being moved today from Perkins building, where it has been located since its organization, to the Osborne block, where much larger quarters have been secured. This change was found necessary owing to the recent addition of many volumes. It will now be open three afternoons each week instead of one afternoon and one evening, as heretofore. The members of the library association and Mr. B. S. Mathews, chairman of the library committee, are doing much good work for the improvement of the library, which is, and ought to be, greatly appreciated by the citizens of this place

Ernest Gould, who has had charge of the meat room at W. M. Prilay's department store, has severed his connection with that firm. Frank Hunter is now filling the place made vacant by his resignation.

The second week of the union evangelistic services of the Methodist and Free Baptist societies commenced today. Rev. Herbert L. Gale, by whom these services are conducted, is an interesting speaker and is drawing large audiences each day and evening.

Hon. Llewellyn Powers is in town today.

Mr. O. W. Bridges of Dexter is in town on business today.

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OLDTOWN LOCALS.

Paul Higgins, who has acted as business manager of the Sockalexis Co. No. 4 since its organization last fall, has severed his connection with it and returned to his home in Costigan. He will be succeeded by Harry Bridge of Oldtown, who has already taken the company in hand.

Between 40 and 50 Italians passed through the city today on their way to Boston and New York. This cold weather seems to drive them farther south.

Mrs. George Shay, who is visiting friends in Milford, has gone to Mattawamkeag and other up river towns for a short visit.

Mrs. Jessie Prestiss is quite ill at her home in Milford.

Morin Bros. have received a new lot of nuts, Malaga grapes, dates, figs, oranges, etc., for Thanksgiving.

At a meeting held by the Indians on the island the other day, it was decided that the dances hereafter should be confined to the people of the island only, unless by special invitation. This is done in order to exclude the undesirable element which frequents these dances.

At a tribal committee meeting held Monday afternoon on the island, with Mr. George H. Hunt as chairman, the following men were nominated for the ensuing year: Nick Sockbason, Newell Lyon, Sabat Glossian, George D. Mitchell, Joe Shay and Joe Mitchell, for one party. They were elected Tuesday afternoon. On Monday afternoon these men were elected J. F. Ranco, John Allean, Frank T. Loving, Charles D. Mitchell, Horace Nicolar and John B. Mitchell This tribal party of twelve is elected for the purpose of assisting the school superintendent in taking a census, and also for the adoption of a new member to the tribe.

There is to be a game of football Thursday afternoon at 2 30 o'clock on Veazie field between the Ellsworth and Oldtown high school teams. This will be a great game, as the teams are well matched and have been playing a great game this season.

The Kindergarten association will hold a meeting Wednesday at 3 P M. in the rooms in the Cushman building, Middle street. All mothers having children in the kindergarten and all others interested are cordially invited.

Joseph Gallant has gone to Caribou where he will act as brakeman on the passenger train on the Van Buren branch.

A large crowd attended the Kitchen dance in the house of John Michaud on French Island Monday night.

Mr. Barker and his son Henry, of Milford, are going to Norcross Thursday on a hunting trip.

The United States Deputy Marshal was in the city Monday night on his way to Aroostook on business.

Mr. Charles L Snow, of the Hincks Coal Co., of Bangor, was in the city Monday afternoon.

The next meeting of the Happy Hour Club has been postponed until after Thanksgiving.

The new heating apparatus for the City Hall has been placed in position and the work of piping is being rapidly pushed.

ORONO NEWS.

H. B. McPheters, who expected to come home this week from Boston, where he has been working for Prof. Hamlin, will be absent another month.

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The Thanksgiving recess of the University of Maine begins this noon, and lasts until Monday noon.

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Rev C. E. Lund returned Monday night from Rockland On his way home he called upon Rev. T. F. Jones, formerly pastor of the Methodist church here.

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Mr. Fred Gilbert and wife will go to North East Carry Thursday afternoon, to remain all winter in Mr. Gilbert's lumber camp.

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A number of boys were skating on the river above Basin Mills on Tuesday morning.

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Word has been received in town of the death of E. W. Barton, president of the Emerson Manufacturing Company, at his home 297 Andover street, Boston, Mass., on Thursday, Nov. 25. Mr. Barton was very well known in Orono, and his many friends will receive with deep sorrow the announcement of his death.

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Mr. and Mrs. Harry Perry returned to Milo Monday to join their company, The Sockalexis Co. No. 4, after passing Sunday with Mrs. Perry's parents.

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Decker, the undertaker, has removed his business from Old Town to Orono.

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Mr. Wm. Page returned Monday from Millinocket, where he has been at work all summer.

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The W. C. T. U. held a regular meeting Monday night at the Methodist church vestry, and after supper, which was served by Mrs. Bolstridge, the following program was carried out: Duet, Mrs. Lund and Mrs. Clifford; accompanist, Mrs. Hooper; solo, Alson Robinson; accompanist, Miss Cowan; solo, George O. Hamlin; accompanist, Miss Nettie Hamlin; reading, Mrs. Dr. Fernald; solo, Prof. Harrington; accompanist, Mrs. Harrington; reading, Miss Ring, accompanist, C. P. Gray; address, subject, Influence, Miss Mabel Freese, Bangor; reading, Mrs. Harvey. The audience was large and very appreciative.

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A large crowd attended the first of the course of assemblies arranged by Spencer and Stevens, and a pleasant time was enjoyed. The next one will occur one week from next Friday evening.

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A Union service will be held in the Methodist church to-night, subject, A Message of Thanksgiving. To the community, Rev. C. E. Lund, To the church, Rev. P. J. Robinson, To the home, Rev. W. B. Dukeshire. Appropriate singing by the choir and congregation will also be a feature.

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The rehearsal of the Orono festival chorus has been postponed until Friday evening.

HEAVILY BOUGHT.

The British Victory at Euslin Cost 198 Lives.

London, Nov. 28. A despatch has been received here from Gen. Buller giving a list of the casualties among the troops engaged in what was hitherto known here as the battle of Gras Pan, but which is now officially designated as the battle of Enslin. It proves, as anticipated, that the British success was heavily bought. The losses announced Tuesday added to the naval brigade casualties previously given, makes a grand total of 198 as the cost of Gen. Methuen's second battle. The Yorkshires apparently bore with the naval brigade the brunt of the fighting, as there are, in addition to the three officers, 48 of the rank and file killed, wounded and missing.

The war office has received the following despatch from Gen. Buller, dated Pietermaritzburg, Natal, Nov. 28:

"Our last news from Ladysmith Nov. 24, said all well. An old message dated Nov. 19, just arrived, begins 'Joubert has explained firing on one Red Cross flag, previously reported. Have accepted explanation as satisfactory. Lieut Lethybridge, rifle brigade, died of wounds Others wounded generally doing well Health of troops good Six wounded Dublin fusiliers captured on armored train south of Colenso, sent here today.' The casualties in the reconnoissance of the armored train Friday, Nov 24, were: Killed, Lieut. F. Ownen Lewis, Bombay infantry, and one private, wounded, one. In the reconnoissance of Sunday, Nov. 26: Ninth Lancers, wounded, Lieut. J. C. Sterling, and one trooper."

CONDENSED NEWS.

John B Cauldwell, director of fine arts of the U. S. commission to the Paris exposition, sailed Tuesday on the Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse. Mr. Cauldwell will proceed to Paris at once in the hope of securing an increase in the space allotted to the United States at the grand palace of the fine arts. He will also take up the work of securing exhibits from American artists resident in that city.

The Emperor and Empress of Germany left Sandringham Tuesday morning and took a train at Wolferton for Port Victoria at 10 o'clock The Prince and Princess of Wales, the Duke and Duchess of York, the Duke of Cambridge and other members of the royal family preceded their majesty to the railroad station, the approaches of which were crowded with people assembled from the surrounding country.

John Hall, superintendent of the Stoughton, Mass., woolen mills at West Stoughton, was removed to the Massachusetts General Hospital Tuesday morning for treatment which may include the amputation of a foot. Mr. Hall was run over by an electric car on the Blue Hill line.

The management of the Massasoit woolen mills at Huntington, Mass., announce a general increase of wages. The weavers and spinners are to receive an advance of ten per cent., while the operatives of all other departments will get a rise of seven per cent.

Gen. Leonard Wood, governor of the province of Santiago de Cuba, was a passenger on board the U. S. transport McPherson, which arrived from Santiago, in New York, Tuesday. Gen. Wood said "I have no knowledge of the business for which I am called to Washington beyond the order to report. Before I left we heard the news of the death of the Vice President and the flags were half masted on all the public buildings. The condition of Santiago in relation to public affairs is improving daily We employ many men on public works such as roads, etc. The people are employed and contented. We have no destitution, and excepting a period after the great storms and hurricanes when the rains washed the crops out of the ground in many places, we have not issued rations. This I am sure was less than 1000. I have great hopes for the early development of the mining industries of Santiago province, with its wonderfully rich deposits of iron, copper and zinc."

Believing that the war in the Philippines is practically over, and that the major part of the insurgents who have been misled by Aguinaldo and the handful of aggressive men who have supported him will be willing to accept the new conditions and lay down their arms, Sec'y Root has already taken up the question of a government for the islands. What to do with Aguinaldo is one of the hardest propositions he is required to meet. Positive conclusions have been reached, but according to the tentative program mapped out, he will be dealt with generously. It is not probable that his personal property will even be confiscated. It is, however, believed that it would be unwise to permit such a disturbing element to remain on the island while the people are passing through the transitory stage preliminary to home rule, and he may, for that reason, be banished from the island at the pleasure of the government. It is the intention ultimately to permit the people to elect their own legislature and to enact their own laws, subject, like the present territories of the United States, to the approval of Congress. The government will be, so far as possible, derived from the consent of the governed, and a measure of home rule will be guaranteed At the outset this republican form of government will be organized chiefly in the towns and small provinces, as at present in the case of Cuba and Porto Rico.

Capt. Whalen of the schooner Harry L. Delden, which arrived at Boston Tuesday forenoon, reported the loss by collision of the Boston schooner Sylvester Whalen and the death of Patrick Powers and Mike Corrigan, two of her crew.

The statement that P. A. B. Widener, Wm L. Elkins and Thos. Dolan of Philadelphia had withdrawn from the Telegraph, Telephone & Cable Co. of America, was confirmed Tuesday.

It is announced that wages will be advanced in Taunton, Mass., five per cent. at the Corr Cotton Mills on Dec. 11, providing the increase of the employes by the Fall River manufacturers is accepted.

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SHIPPING NEWS.

FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC.

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Nov. 28th.

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Sch Methebesec, Snow, Rockland.

Sch W. T. Cameron, Perkins, Boston, Hastings & Strickland.

Sch Henry Whitney, Welsh, Boston, James Walker & Co.

FROM OTHER PORTS.

Halifax, N S, Nov 28. Arr, schs Emulator, Boston; Ester Anila, do for Banks; sld, strs Adria, Baltimore; Monterey, St John, N B.

St John, N B, Nov 28. Arr, str St Croix, Boston, bark Charina, Jaccarino, Gloucester; schs Lizzie B, Thomaston ;Two Sisters, Rockland, Abbie Verna, Rockport; cld, str Motnrose, Evans, Liverpool for Halifax.

Chatham, N B, Nov 27. Cld, str Tiber, Sydney, C B.

Hillsboro, N B, Nov 27 Cld, sch Nimrod, Newark.

Portland, Me, Nov 28. Arr, str Montevidean, London; tug Teaser with barge Henry Clay, Phila; tug Catawissa, with barge Elmwood, do; schs R F Pettigrew Brunswick; O H Brown, Phila; Lizzie J Parker, Newport News; Pemaquid, Rockland for Boston, leaking; Ethel Merriam, do for do; Storm Petrel, Rondout; sld, sch Lewis H Cottingham, Kennebec and Phila; tug Catawissa, with three barges for Phila.

Boothbay, Me, Nov 28. Arr, sch Mary F Pike, Eastport; sld, sch John Bracewell, Stonington.

Stonington, Conn, Nov 28. Sailed, sch Jennie C (Br) St John.

Vineyard Haven, Mass, Nov 28. Sld schs Sadie Walcott, Wm Slater, Lula Price (Br) and Clara Jane; Samuel S Thorp in tow tug N P Doane. Passed, schs Wm Marshall, St John for Washington; Damon, Bangor for Providence.

Leghorn, Nov 28. Arr, sch Jennie Jones, Labrador via Gibraltar.

Barrow, Nov 27. Arr, bark Laura, Parrsboro, N S.

Beachy Head, Nov 28 Passed, str Ceylon, Montreal for Hull.

London, Nov 28 Arr, str St John City, St John, N B, via Halifax.

Genoa, Nov 25. Arr, schs Ellen Jones, Labrador via Gibraltar, Emrys, do via do.

Lizard, Nov 28. Passed, strs Statendam, N Y for Rotterdam, Switzerland, Phila for Antwerp.

Gibraltar, Nov 28 Passed, str Karamania, Naples for N Y

Kinsale, Nov 28. Psd, str Michigan, Boston for Liverpool.

Liverpool, Nov 28. Arr, str Irishman, Boston; sld, str Numidian, Portland.

London, Nov 28. Sld, strs Manhattan, N Y; Sylvia, St John, N B

Moville, Nov 28. Sld, str Taintunl, from Liverpool, N Y.

Marcus Hook, Pa, Nov 28. Psd down, str Falk, for Sydney, C B.

Delaware Breakwater, Nov .. Returned, sch Elm City, Phila for Johnson.

Philadelphia, Nov 28. Cleared, str Framnes, Wabana, N F; schs Pardon G Thompson, Vinal Haven; Stephen Bennett, do.

City Island, Nov 28. Bound south, schs Ellen M Maxner, Northeast river, St Margaret's bay, N S; Ella Pressey, Thomaston, Me; B G Anderson, Halifax, N S; Herbert E, Long Cove, Me; tug Gypsum King, Windsor, towing schs Gypsum Emperor, Gypsum King, Newburgh and barge 17 from Boston.

Baltimore, Nov 28. Arr, str [illegible], Bremen.

Ellsworth, Nov 28. Sld, sch Forrester, Bar Harbor.

ama, Bordeaux; bark Mary Hasbrouck, Auckland; sch Adelia T Carleton, South Amboy for Rockport, Me; sailed, strs Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse, Bremen New York, Nov 28. Arr, str Panvia Cherbourg and Southampton; Cymric, Liverpool; Lovstakken, Hong Kong etc; Boston City, Bristol.

Calais, Me, Nov 28. Arr, schs Flyaway, Portland; Urbain B, Parrsboro.

Red Beach, Me, Nov 28. Sld, sch Klondike, Parrsboro.

Gloucester, Mass, Nov 28. Arr, schs Clara E Coull, Boston for Bath; Lizzie C Rich, Boston for Bangor.

Boston, Nov 28. Arr, strs Admiral Farragut, Port Antonio; Comal, Galveston; bark Julia, Pensacola, sailed, strs Prince George (Br) Yarmouth, Boston, do; Aladdin (Nor) Louisburg; schs Lizzie Wharton (Br) Thorne's Cove; Jos McGill (Br) Halifax; H R Emerson (Br) Sackville; Ina (Br) St John; Annie (Br) Salmon River; Josephine, (Br) Bridgewater, Prohibition (Br) Tusket; Adelaide (Br) Hillsboro; Congo (Br) Sydney; Wawbeek (Br) St John; tug Teaser, Phila for Portland with barge Henry Clay

Antwerp, Nov 28 Arr, str Southwark, N Y, via Southampton

Providence, R I, Nov 28 Arr, sch J Kennedy, Calais, Me.

Hamburg, Nov 28. Arr, str Phoenician, N Y.

Salem, Mass, Nov 28 Arr, schs Thomas W H White, Gardiner for N Y; F W Allen, Calais for Fall River; Charlie Sproul, Boston for Bath; Phineas H Gray, do for Damariscotta; R L Kenney, do for Rockland, Hattie C (Br) N Y for Dorchester.

Machias, Me, Nov 28 Arr, schs Twilight, Jonesport, Joe, Boston, sld, sch Alaska, Sand River, N S; Freeport, Jonesport

Dutch Island Harbor, R I, Nov 28. Arr and sld, schs Geo A Lawry, South Amboy for Rockland; Addie Ames, Charley Woolsey, N Y for Rockland.

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Peculiar Experience of a Boy—How He Got a Deer.

How to Make a Deer Stop—Notes of Interest.

Melzer Phillips, who lives about a mile below Kingfield, had a very singular experience one day last week. He was out hunting for partridges and had very good luck. He had fired away all his shells except one, and had gone back near his home when he saw a deer. He fired his remaining shell at him and knocked him over. He went up to him and commenced to paw him over with his gun and the deer commenced to struggle. The boy did not want to lose him, so he laid down his gun, seized the deer by the horns and tried to hold him, but the animal was too strong for him and got up with the boy on his back and made off with him. As it happened the deer's course led nearly in a straight line for the boy's house. When they were quite close to the house the deer's strength gave out and he sank to the ground. The boy then set up a great hallooing which attracted the attention of his father, who came running to his assistance with a knife and dispatched the deer.

A TAME PARTRIDGE.

It is a current belief that a partridge cannot be tamed so that a person cannot aproach it, but it has been done in a Maine town. Last spring Enoch Leathers, who lives near the woods, noticed a small partridge with his young poultry. It was not much larger than a robin. It stayed with his chickens all summer and would come up and be fed with them. That fall some one passing by saw the bird near the road and threw a stone which killed it, very much to the regret of Mr. Leathers.

SHOOTING DEER.

A correspondent in Shooting and Fishing writes:

"The deer is a peculiar animal and if one sees it first one can fire the first shot in the air. It will then stop and look at one, giving him a chance to make a sure shot. I have walked up on a deer when we were in plain sight of each other until I got within good rifle shot, then stopping, would fire the first shot at random. The game would stop still, look in my direction, turning its head and shoulders into perfect range.

"Little Brassua pond lay about four miles to the westward of camp. One morning, arising before daybreak, I started for Little Brassua. I had made about half the distance when the sun came slowly above the hills. The very wildness of my surroundings was enchanting. Grouse came gaily twittering from the bushes on the hillside, but I did not shoot them. Red squirrels, it seemed in hundreds, were all about me, making a fearful din in the morning sunlight. Now and then a fox or porcupine would be seen as it made its way through the underbrush, but I cared not for them as I was in quest of larger game.

"As the waters of this beautiful pond burst upon my vision I felt like kissing its glassy surface and kneeling at its side. I drank deep of the pure liquid. Arising, I glanced up, and there behold, just above me, looking out upon the pond in bold relief, was a deer, the head and neck being plainly discernable; I took steady aim at the neck but hesitated for a moment, thinking, as I was sure of it, that I could wait for some movement. It did not move. I thought it was funny but still kept my aim. After waiting for some time I thought it best to investigate, and advancing I soon discovered that it was a decoy. Some one had been there before and placed the head and neck of a deer upon a stump and to all appearances it looked like a live animal.

GOT SIX BUCKS.

Three of Augusta's citizens, or perhaps it would be better to give Hallowell her due and say two Augusta men and one Hallowell man, returned Saturday morning from a hunting trip, bringing with them six as handsome bucks as ever was seen going through Augusta's streets on an express wagon. The gentlemen were A. W. Brooks and E. Stone of Augusta and John R. Gould of Hallowell, cashier of the Augusta National bank. They have been passing several days at Bald mountain in Somerset county and are charmed with the place and their luck.

Of course there were the usual number of comments in connection with the deer and the gentlemen were asked repeatedly how much each deer cost, but each man is a hunter with a reputation, and so, of course, no one of them took offense.



The Deer Enclosure at Merrymeeting Park.

ON EDUCATIO .

State Superintendent of Schools Stetson Says the Question of Education is Largely a Financial One.

State Superintendent of Schools, W. W. Stetson, says of the school system:

"I have been talking of late on 'What are you going to do about it?' in other words on the existing conditions, and the position and duty of the English speaking peoples. I believe we are to send our literature, institutions and industries over the world. The educational question is of first importance. It is, as I hold, largely a financial question.

"The educational outlook in Maine is very encouraging. We are again getting back something of the local interest in schools felt when we had the old district system. Parents and school officers want better teachers, school officers want better teachers. as in every other profession, push and dash count, and that the fellow who works, wins. With the loss of the district system, we lose a great deal of the local system in the schools. I am inclined to think that for the past 20 years parents have wanted the teachers to do the work, instead of having it done by the children.

"There is now a good degree of interest in the physical condition of the schools. It may not be generally known but we have in Maine one of the model schoolhouses of the country, built on the very latest plans and with all the modern improvements. It is at Frenchville. The lot is 180 by 200, the walls and ceilings are of steel, the system of lighting is almost perfect, the ventilation is admirable, and the school is provided with a complete set of maps, charts and globes, and has a well-selected library of 150 books. The house is one of the best in New England, and is an encouraging evidence of progress.

"I said: 'This question of education is, after all, a financial question. I hold that the business men of our Maine cities are more largely interested in the education of the boys in the country than any other class of men.'

"Any considerable increase in the population of the cities must come from the country districts. If the newcomers are intelligent, educated and progressive men they will be a great financial help to the business of the city to which they go. If they remain in the country their education will help them to be better farmers and business men, they will develop their farms and manufacturing interests, and there will be a better demand for the things the city has to sell. I believe that this school question is a financial question.

"We forget sometimes that we have a great work here at home. When we think of pioneer life we are apt to think of the far west and do not remember that Maine is still a pioneer state.

"We have in Maine over 80 unorganized towns, with no form of municipal government whatever, and until the present year with no school system whatever. In many cases these settlements are so remote that they are reached by bridle paths, or by boats. They are pioneer settlements in every sense of the word and as I said, the people are left without even a shadow of municipal government.

"We are trying to change this state of things. This year we have established schools in 37 of these remote townships or plantations. We found one town where there had never been a school and with only two children who had ever been inside a schoolroom. We have a good school there now, with 60 children in attendance."

Mr. Stetson has had a very busy year. He spends but little of his time in his office, but tries hard to keep in touch with the people of the State. This year he has delivered over 300 addresses, long and short, and will soon go to Ohio to get some of the recently adopted special features there, as well as to speak.

Speaking of the schools of the State, he said that valuable ideas are many times advanced by men who have no actual knowledge of school work. If there is what may be termed an absurd idea advanced they are quick to see it. "Of course," said Mr. Stetson, "they commonly go over ground with which we are familiar and advance ideas we have tried and found of no real advantage, but still frequently they give us valuable hints, and we find it advisable to adopt suggestions made by men who have no special knowledge of our schools."

BROOKS NEWS.

Our correspondent writes: Rev. F. S. Dolloff, pastor of the Congregational church, preached his farewell sermon Nov. 26, having closed his labors here to accept a call tendered him by the Congregational church of Island Falls. He with his wife will go to the latter place Dec. 1. They will depart with the best wishes of church and people and their departure will be regretted by all.

Rev. Mr. Prescott, the evangelist from Vassalboro, who has been holding an extended series of revival meetings at the Friends' chapel in this village, and who had announced his intention of closing his labors in this place has decided to remain another week at least.

Mr. C. E. Lane, our hustling life insurance agent, has purchased of the creditors the homestead, farm and steam mill of the absconding bankrupt and forger, A. B. Snow, situated in the northerly part of Jackson. It is reported that Mr. Lane will employ Mr. A. L. Newcomb to put the mill in condition imediately and saw the large pile of logs now in the mill yard, placed there previous to Snow's departure.

Hay is moving quite lively in the market at prices very satisfactory to the producers. The larger part of the hay is being shipped away as fast as brought to market.

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ISLAND FALLS NEWS.

Our correspondent writes: The Sockalexis Concert Company is to play here four nights this week.

Mr. John E. Murchie, barber, has sold out his property here and will locate in Millinocket.

Rev. S. F. Dolliff, of Jackson, will be here this week and will at once assume his duties as pastor of the Congregational church.

An effort has been made to put in electric lights, though not enough has been subscribed for as yet.

Vacation for all the schools.

The members of the Ladies' Aid of the Congregational church celebrated the fourth anniversary of their organization last Saturday evening, the 25th. A supper and an entertainment were given in Pettengill's hall, to which an admission fee of twice four cents was charged. The entertainment consisted of four musical parts, four recitations and speeches and four games. The supper consisted of four courses at four cents a course. There was a large attendance and the exercises were highly enjoyed.

Mr. E. A. Hillman of this town recently got a big moose near his lumber camp.

Mr. Bert Pettengill has purchased the instruments and uniforms used by the Island Falls cornet band.

S. C. Spratt has purchased a stable of B. R. White, located at the corner of Sherman and Burleigh streets, and will move it to his lot, on Harding street.

The Island Falls Mills Company have their new machinery all in and are now sawing out shingles. The mill runs nicely and they have much more power than formerly.

Miss Anna Sleeper of Sherman, cousin to Dr. Sleeper of this town, has an engagement to play the organ in the Congregational church. Miss Sleeper has been teaching a class here for some time. She is a fine organist and pianist.

The Bliss House has a very popular clerk in Mr. Albert J. Webb, and the traveling public are glad to reach this place.

Feticism marks the lowest point of a gross and degraded superstition. It belongs to savages and not to civilized people. Yet there are social fetiches to which mothers sacrifice their daughters in this enlightened land. And these sacrifices are no less horrible than those of the degraded African who throws his writhing child into the fire. The name of the great social fetich is Ignorance. Mothers see their daughters "standing with reluctant feet where womanhood and girlhood meet," see them take the step beyond and assume the stupendous responsibilities involved in marriage and motherhood, and yet they say no word of warning or enlightenment as to the great physical change which marriage brings to women. For those who have suffered through ignorance, and have allowed disease to develop in the delicate organs, Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is a true minister of mercy. It stops drains, heals ulceration and inflammations, cures bearing down pains, makes weak women strong and sick women well.

OFFICER CHANGES

In the National Guard of the State of Maine.

General Orders Which Tell of Commissions, Discharges and the Disbanding of Co. K, of the Second Regiment.

General Orders No. 13 issued from the adjutant general's office tell of the changes that have taken place among the commissioned officers of the National Guard up to date. Many officers and privates have been discharged, others have been commissioned and the disbanding of Co. K, Second regiment is ordered. The following is the order:

Augusta, Nov. 21, 1899.

General Orders No. 13.

I. By authority vested in the commander-in-chief by section 47 of chapter 266 of the Public Laws of 1893, Company K, Second Regiment of Infantry, N. G. S. M., is hereby disbanded it appearing upon reports received after a thorough investigation, that this company has fallen below the proper standard and has failed to comply with the laws, regulations and discipline governing the service. The enlisted men of the company are hereby honorably discharged from the service of the State.

II. The commanding officer of Company K will immediately fill out discharge papers for each enlisted man of the company and forward them to this office. Upon the receipt and completion of the same, his resignation will be accepted and he will be honorably discharged.

III. The following commissions in the National Guard have been issued:

Charles E. Davis, 1st lieutenant and adjutant, 1st Regiment, commissioned July 18, 1899, to rank from July 20, 1892.

Edward S. Waide, 1st lieutenant and adjutant, 2d Regiment, commissioned October 19, 1899, to rank from August 29, 1899.

Wallace A. Furnell, 1st lieutenant and quartermaster, 2d Regiment, commissioned October 19, 1899, to rank from August 29, 1899.

Olin M. Smith, 1st lieutenant and inspector of rifle practice, 2d Regiment, commissioned October 19, 1899, to rank from August 29, 1899.

Thomas J. Hogan, captain, Co. E, 1st Regiment, commissioned October 19, 1899, to rank from September 29, 1893.

James W. Graham, captain, Co. M, 1st Regiment, commissioned October 19, 1899, to rank from September 5, 1899.

Fen B. Thompson, captain, Co. A, 2d Regiment, commissioned October 19, 1899, to rank from September 5, 1899.

J. Waldo Nash, captain, Co. D., 1st Regiment, commissioned October 19, 1899, to rank from October 9, 1899.

Flavel A. Chaplin, captain, Co. B, 1st Regiment, commissioned October 19, 1899, to rank from October 16, 1899.

Charles C. Tibbetts, 1st lieutenant, Co. H, 1st Regiment, commissioned May 1, 1899, to rank from June 13, 1892.

Willard C. Lord, 1st lieutenant, Co. M, 1st Regiment, commissioned July 18, 1899, to rank from May 6, 1898.

Bernard W. Sawyer, 1st lieutenant, Co. A, 2d Regiment, commissioned October 19, 1899, to rank from September 5, 1899.

John J. A. Mulhearn, 1st lieutenant, Co. L, 1st Regiment, commissioned October 19, 1899, to rank from October 3, 1899.

Nathan A. Chase, 1st lieutenant, Co. D, 1st Regiment, commissioned October 19, 1899, to rank from October 9, 1899.

Charles A. Siteman, 1st lieutenant, Co. E, 1st Regiment, commissioned October 19, 1899, to rank from October 12, 1899.

Rupert C. Parker, 1st lieutenant, Co. B, 1st Regiment, commissioned October 19, 1899, to rank from October 16, 1899.

J. Waldo Nash, 2d lieutenant, Co. D, 1st Regiment, commissioned July 18, 1899, to rank from May 5, 1899.

Frederick A. Hobbs, 2d lieutenant, Co. M, 1st Regiment, commissioned July 18, 1899, to rank from May 9, 1898.

Walter W. Smith, 2d lieutenant, Co. M, 1st Regiment, commissioned October 19, 1899, to rank from September 5, 1899.

F. Elbridge Drake, 2d lieutenant, Co. A, 2d Regiment, commissioned October 19, 1899, to rank from September 5, 1899.

John E. McDonald, 2d lieutenant, Co. L, 1st Regiment, commissioned October 19, 1899, to rank from October 3, 1899.

Wilfred Perkins, 2d. lieutenant, Co. D, 1st Regiment, commissioned October 19, 1899, to rank from October 9, 1899.

CASUALTIES.

Captain Henry G. Crockett, Co. D, 2d Regiment, honorably discharged by reason of expiration of commission December 8, 1898.

Second Lieutenant Mervyn Ap Rice, Co. H, 1st Regiment, resigned and honorably discharged May 24, 1899.

Second Lieutenant John R. Trimble, Co. K, 2d Regiment, resigned and honorably discharged July 1, 1899.

First Lieutenant Oscar E. Wasgatt, Co. G, 2d Regiment, resigned and honorably discharged July 18, 1899.

First Lieutenant Lowell R. Adams, Co. K, 2d Regiment, resigned and honorably discharged July 18, 1899.

Second Lieutenant Thomas P. Shelvey, Co. E, 1st Regiment, resigned and honorably discharged July 18, 1899.

First Lieutenant Harry B. Corthell, Co. I, 2d Regiment, resigned and honorably discharged July 19, 1899.

Captain Thomas A. Jewett, Co. A, 2d Regiment, resigned and honorably discharged July 29, 1899.

Second Lieutenant Benjamin D. Savage, Co. F, 1st Regiment, resigned and honorably discharged August 3, 1899.

First Lieutenant Clement M. Giveen, Co. K, 1st Regiment, honorably discharged by G. O. No. 13, August 7, 1899, on recommendation of board of inquiry.

First Lieutenant William D. Whitney, Co. A, 2d Regiment, discharged without honor, by G. O. No. 13, August 7, 1899, on recommendation of board of inquiry.

Second Lieutenant Martin J. Lee, Co. L, 1st Regiment, discharged without honor, by G. O. No. 13, August 7, 1899, on recommendation of board of inquiry.

Second Lieutenant Harry H. Sawyer, Co. A, 1st Regiment, discharged by G. O. No. 13, August 7, 1899, on recommendation of board of inquiry.

Captain William A. Paul, Co. B, 2nd Regiment, resigned and honorably discharged August 14, 1899, to accept a captain's commission in the 29th Infantry, U. S. Vols.

First Lieutenant Frank V. Lee, inspector of rifle practice, 2d Regiment, resigned and honorably discharged August 14, 1899.

First Lieutenant George A. Hubbard, Co. C, 1st Regiment, resigned and honorably discharged August 14, 1899.

Second Lieutenant Benjamin P. Adams, Co. D, 1st Regiment, resigned and honorably discharged August 14, 1899.

Second Lieutenant Frederick A. Hobbs, Co. M, 1st Regiment, resigned and honorably discharged August 14, 1899.

Captain Harold S. Boardman, Co. G, 2nd Regiment, resignation accepted and discharged by G. O. No. 14, August 19, 1899, on recomendation of board of inquiry.

First Lieutenant Stephen L. Foley, Co. L, 1st Regiment, resigned and honorably discharged August 21, 1899.

Captain Isaiah H. Baker, Co. B, 1st Regiment, resigned and honorably discharged September 8, 1898, to accept a captain's commission in 45th Infantry, U. S. Vols.

1st Lieutenant C. Hart Blackington, Co. F, 1st Regiment, resigned and honorably discharged September 8, 1899.

Second Lieutenant James W. Dutton, Co. H, 2d Regiment, resigned and honorably discharged September 11, 1899, to accept a first lieutenant's commission in the 43rd Infantry, U. S. Vols.

Captain Thomas J. Hogan, Co. E, 1st Regiment, honorably discharged by reason of expiration of commission, October 7, 1899.

Captain William S. Hume, Co. I, 2d Regiment, honorably discharged by reason of expiration of commission, October 7, 1899.

Captain Wallace B. McPheters, Co. E, 2d Regiment, resigned and honorably discharged October 10, 1899.

Second Lieutenant Edward S. Waide, Co. I, 2d Regiment, honorably discharged to accept commission as first lieutenant and adjutant, 2d Regiment, October 19, 1899.

Captain Olin M. Smith, Co. L, 2d Regiment, honorably discharged to accept commission as first lieutenant and inspector of rifle practice, 2d Regiment October 19, 1899.

Second Lieutenant Fen B. Thompson, Co. A, 2d Regiment, honorably discharged to accept commission as captain, Co. A, 2d Regiment, October 19, 1899.

First Lieutenant Flavel A. Chaplin, Co. B, 1st Regiment, honorably discharged to accept commission as captain, Co. B, 1st Regiment, October 19, 1899.

Second Lieutenant J. Waldo Nash, Co. D, 1st Regiment, honorably discharged to accept commission as captain, Co. D, 1st Regiment, October 19, 1899.

By order of the commander-in-chief,

JOHN T. RICHARDS,
Adjutant General.

The Donaldson line steamer Hestia, from Baltimore, Nov. 1, for Glasgow, is at Greenock with the crew of the American schooner H. and J. Blenderman, Capt. Reed, from Hillsboro, N. B., Nov. 9, for New York. The shipwrecked seamen had been rescued at 11.30 A. M. on Nov. 15 in lat. 40, long. 35, much exhausted, having been for 34 hours in an open boat.

At Boise, Idaho, the state supreme court has denied the petition of Paul Corcoran for a writ of habeas corpus. Corcoran was convicted of murder in the second degree and sentenced to 17 years' imprisonment for murder committed by a mob of which he was a member, and which destroyed the Bunker Hill mill on April 19.

At Pittsburg, Pa., a plant to cost more than $1,000,000, backed by Andrew Carnegie, J. Pierpont Morgan and other capitalists, will be erected on the Monongahela river 16 miles above McKeesport.

A MAGAZINE FREE.

"Hundreds of well known real people cured by this new force." That expression was the magnet which drew an investigating Boston newspaper man. The demonstrator, Francis Truth, grasped with his right hand the right hand of the reporter. The sensation as if an engine in Mr. Truth's body was pumping electric waves into the body of ... feet. "There is no doubt but what I feel that," the newspaper man said. "It is electricity." Mr. Truth replied: I have had scientists say that surely I was in ... with an electric battery, but I have convinced them that it is not electricity. ... is the power, then?" "I do not know. It has always been with me, and ... I can say, or that I ought to say, is that it is a gift from God. I know that it is a powerful, well-defined, but harmless force, which actually affects the patient ... knows by his own knowledge—and that it accomplishes results. In other words, ...

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GOOD ROADS.

Maine Division, L. A.W., is Working For Signboards.

The Maine division, L. A. W., is resolved to enforce the laws regarding signboards and selectmen throughout the state are beginning to realize that the league means business and is taking steps to comply with the requirements of the statutes.

Chief Consul C. W. Small from personal observations has decided that the country roads are sadly deficient in signboards. There is a statute that says such boards must be in position and that statute he proposes to enforce. To selectmen throughout the state he has been sending the following circular:

"Your attention is respectfully called to the Revised Statutes, of Maine. Chapter 18, Section 96, which reads as follows:

Sec. 96. Towns shall erect and maintain at all crossings of highways and where one public higaway enters another, substantial guide posts not less that eight feet high, and fasten to the upper end of each a board on which shall be plainly printed in black letters on a white ground, the name of the next town on the route, and of such other places as the municipal officers may direct, with the number of miles thereto; and for any neglect herein, towns are subject to indictment, and fine not exceeding fifty dollars.

Sec. 9. If the municipal officers of any town unreasonably neglect to cause a guide post to be erected in their town as provided by law, they forfeit five dollars for each month's neglect, to be recovered in an action on the case by any person suing therefor.

"If your town has complied with the provisions of the law, this letter needs no attention from you, you will please consider this as a formal complaint and I trust that you will see that the defect is immediately remedied.

"Your attention is also called to the provisions of the law which says 'At all crossings of highways and where one public highway enters another. This may seem needless to you, who are so well acquainted with the roads in your vicinity, but guide posts are erected for the information of strangers.

"I trust that your attention will not have to be again called to this subject, and desire to thank you in advance for the favor of a compliance with the law."

The answers to this circular, which, Mr. Small has received are decidedly varied. Selectmen from different parts of the state have taken the letter seriously, semi-seriously and humorously. Many of them seem to think that the distance they are from Portland will let them out, but they are making a mistake. One man writes that his town has already exceeded the appropriation for road improvements and requests Mr. Small to wait until next town meeting when he will see to it that money is raised for the purpose of erecting signboards.

Another says that owing to the lack of rain the roads are hard and it will be difficult to erect poles for the signboards and wishes Mr. Small to wait until we have a good rain to soften up the ground.

The selectmen of Scarboro took cognizance of the letter and said they had complied with the request. It is understood that a few old boards in that vicinity have been resurrected and that the work is far from being done as it should be. The mayor of Auburn gave his personal attention to the matter and says the signboards within his province are now all right.

Now if the various towns and cities do not comply with Mr. Small's request by March 1, they will get another notice. After that they will have until June 1 and if the work is neglected beyond that time they must take the consequences which means a $50 fine and $5 a month additional for each neglected signboard.

Chief Consul Small has sent the road surveyors throughout the state a comprehensive phamphlet entitled "... try Roads," the circular also mentioned to all selectmen ... entitled "Must the Farmer Pay ... Roads?" to a great many ... Maine. The first edition of the pamphlet was 4,000 and it has ... exhausted but more will ... hand and will be sent when desired. The following ... paragraphs give a good ... general tenor of the ... though the subject is ... haustively:

The good roads question is of great importance to the ... pendent as we are upon a ... railroad for the comparatively ... area of the state, a tremendous ... of transportation has to be ... our highways. For several ... each year they are practically ... ble, nothing at all or only ... being hauled. Transportation ... be easily made at all ... small manufacturer, the ... keeper, the farmer, in fact ... an and rural interests ... suffer for the lack of ... structed highways.

The difficulty about ... roads is having to pay for ... users of the highways ... to contribute. The ... cannot build them alone ... be helped. The bicyclist ... for pleasure, the merchant ... man travels through ... fact all classes should ... be done more effectually ... than by any other method.

CARMEL NEWS.

Our correspondent writes: ... Kearney announced from ... Sabbath morning that owing to ill health the presiding ... granted him a respite from ... until conference.

James and Millard Cu... wives and children from Co... have been visiting their ... friends, started on their ... their western homes Nov. ...

The literary contest which ... in progress in Golden Har... for the past few weeks was ... the last meeting, the gentlemen ... ing by 75 points.

Mr. Carlos Clark, former ... agent, has been engaged to ... grammar school in the village ... the coming winter.

There will be an election ... in Chas. K. Johnson Post ... meeting December 2nd. A ... tendance of comrades is req...

Although Carmel is not ... town or a shipping port ... widows living in peace and ... one school district.

Among those who ... Bangor Monday were ... Kearney, Alonzo Tilton, ... son, Miss Genie Simpson ... Whittier.

Ed. Haines, of Livermore ... turning from a successful ... stopped over one day and ... made his parents, C. ... wife, a visit.

George Bickford, of A... a large buck deer on ... the past week.

Daniel W. Garland, li... south part of the town ha... past season upwards of ... turkeys. This is only one ... strings Mr. Garland has to ... farming.

Miss Thompson, after ... ing at Union church for ... has closed her labors here ... to her home in Morrill.

Walter Simpson, of Dam... decided to go into the mer... iness and with this end ... building a store at that pl... sign will read R. A. Simpson ...

The many friends of ... Babb, of Newport, were ... hear of her sudden death ... home, Nov. 22nd. Several ... attended her funeral Sat... noon.

Seldon Wheeler, of Fort ... leased and taken possession ... term of one year of the widow ... farm, stock and farming tools ... Hill.

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE.

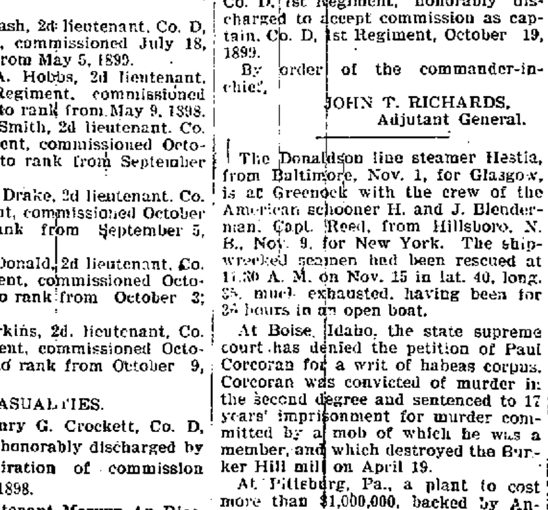
Washington, Nov. 28. The ... annual message is practically ... ed and ready for transmission to Congress when it assembles next week. The message will be unusually long on account of the numerous and important topics it discusses. The ... the message treating of different ... ies have been sent to the public printer as they have been finished and ... have been submitted for ...

It is not certain that the ... will be sent to Congress next Monday. It is customary to send it on the day of the assembling of Congress, but ... the death of the Vice President makes it certain that the Senate at least will adjourn imediately out of respect to his memory, it is not unlikely that the message will be withheld until Tuesday. In the House the adjournment will only be delayed until that body is organized, when upon the announcement of the death of the Vice President it will also adjourn.

Deputy Sheriff Paulding and Sheriff Harmison of Morgan county, West Virginia, went to St. Clairsville, Ohio, and took into custody a man believed to be N. J. Doman, alleged to have killed Absalom Kestor and his housekeeper, Ann Doman, wife of the murderer, at Paw Paw, Morgan county last Saturday.

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Hitched to a light carriage, driven by his keeper and manager, the big pacing ostrich may be seen daily on the road near Jacksonville, and it is doubtful if ever a more peculiar and interesting sight was seen. His speed is simply remarkable, and nothing on the road can pass or even hold him. He has gone a mile in 2.02 several times and once, it is said, went below the two minute mark. He has already won several big match races.

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FOOTBALL.

"I was on der feetball game," said the Sinker Man when Sarsaparilla Reilly entered the little restaurant. "I just came home Voodhaven."

"New Haven," said Reilly.

"Vell I vere dere anyhow," continued Sinkers. "I saw der Lions knock out der Old We-lies mit one kick."

"Ye mane th' Tigers," corrected Reilly. "Thim's the Princetonians, and this is the Yalemin, just like the County Cavans are th' Cavanmin, or th Kerrys th Kerrymin."

"Are der Jalemen Irish?"

"How cud they be Irish whin they were eatin'," remarked Reilly. "Thim were the Dootch team. Th' Princetonians were the Irish. They made cut and won. The Yalemin wudn't play any more after that. They stopped in forty seconds."

"Now your commencin' again," said Sinkers. "Vhy don't yer say German don't know how to kick."

"I don't. The best kick a Dootchman makes is his last one, whin he gits revenge on his enemies wid the aid av carbolic acid."

"Let us speak somethin' about der game on Voodhaven," put in the Sinker Man. "Dot vere der first time vhen I seen feetball. All der mens which dayed had rubber noses und ear tabs. Dey didn't care vhen somebody tripped them up. Dey yust fell down und valked on der head of der one vhich vere under. Somebody kicked everybody und everybody pushed somebody's face, on der floor, und der policemens didn't stop der fight. One man vanted to steal der ball to take it home, mebbe, to him's children but der rubbernecks vouldn't let him. Dey knocked him down und kicked him's face. I said 'Shamedich! Stop, stop!' Let him up! For vhy you vant to kill der man? Did he do you someting? Dey vouldn't listen. All der other ladies vhat vere dere but me vanted der Lions to kill him, but dey couldn't cause he vere too tough und pushed der crowd on der foot mit one push. Den he runned away und a man by me said, 'touch,' and I guess he vanted to borrow money. Somebody said it vere in the game und der man mit der ball kicked it over everybody's head. It would be der rule dot der captain gets a fire hose und squirts water on der oppositions vhen der oppositions fell down like dot in a bundle und don't let go from der ball. Anyhow, vhen I vould make up der game I vould have fish nets to stop der ball from goin' on der golf link."

"Why not play th' game on horseback?" said Reilly.

"Und make der horses kick der ball?" asked Sinkers.

"Sure, only," said Reilly. "Then no man wud git harrumed. There wud be no nade av an ambulance for every player then."

"Mebbe der horses might walk on der feets of der peoples which only went to see der game," remarked the Sinker man. "Mit horses dey could play down in a coals mine vhere der horses couldn't climb up on der peoples toots. One time I vere down in a coals mine in Pennsyldelphia. It vas two tousand foots deep."

"Go long wid ye," said Reilly; "that's only one tousand foor hundred."

"Den mebbe I vent through hell," remarked Sinkers.

"Not on yer tintype," said Reilly. "Whin they git a Dootchman down there they never let him go."

"Vell," said Sinkers. "I can't seem to git dot football game into my head."

"The only way ter git anything into a Dootchman's head is wid a pistol," replied Reilly.

"Ve won't speak 'bout feetball no more," said Sinkers.

"No," added Reilly, "we'll go into Red Jerry's and git a hand ball, wid th half back av a cold chicken, an' a goal line av frankfurters."

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The young man looked shiftily into the paternal eye, and twisted a bit of paper in his fingers. He was pale and his eyes were slightly inflamed.

"My son," said the old gentleman, gently, "I was sorry that you were not with us at dinner last night. I know you had a great deal of interest in the result of the football game, but I thought that you and your friends at the Princeton Club would be through congratulating one another in plenty of time for you to get home for dinner, particularly on your father's birthday, my son."

The young man turned to the sideboard and with conspicuous steadiness poured out two glasses of ice water. He drank them both.

"I was very sorry, father," he said, "very sorry; but there were two or or three members of the club sick at their homes and we wanted the news to reach them, and I was appointed on a committee to go tell them about it. And in going to see them we heard of others and—and—and so I was kept out very late before I realized it. I—I was so occupied that I even forgot to telephone to you, sir."

"But you did telephone," said the old gentleman.

The facts here related must explain why a certain young graduate of Princeton failed to keep his engagement at the club yesterday evening.

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Only three more important games remain to be played and all are scheduled for this week. On Thursday Columbia's 'Varsity will tackle the Carlisle Indians in New York in what promises to be an exciting conflict. Manager Mitchell says it has reached his ears that counterfeit tickets are in circulation and they will be refused at the gates. On Saturday the Army and Navy will clash when West Point and Annapolis line-up on Franklin Field, Philadelphia. Tickets for this match have been issued free, according to a special invitation plan, and indications point to a tremendous outpouring. Many Government officials promised to attend. The last big intercollegiate game will also be played on Franklin Field, on Thanksgiving Day, between Cornell and the University of Pennsylvania, the old rivals. This affair will probably be the usual red letter event.

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Arthur Poe, who won the game for Princeton on Saturday against Yale, is the fifth member of that family to play on the Orange and Black 'Varsity. He has been preceded by Johnson Poe, Edgar Allen Poe, John Poe and Nelson Poe. He also has a younger brother, Gresham, at Princeton and the latter is also a promising player. Arthur Poe astonished his associates when he made his great drop kick, for they said after the game that he has never been known to even practise that style of kicking while in college.

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Speculation is now ripe as to who will be the Tigers 'captain next year. It was learned that a meeting of the men who played was held at the Murray Hill Hotel, New York, but nothing definite was done. Quarter back Hutchinson seems to be the prospective man at present, although there is a report current that Poe will return next year, in which case the honors will be bestowed upon him. Several of the players tell interesting stories of Poe's goal. They say that when the decision was made that the only chance of victory lay in a goal from the field, Capt. Edwards called for volunteers. Mills, Pell and Poe quickly responded, and were all eager for the chance. Finally the little end rush asserted his right as the only senior left on the eleven who could kick a goal and he received the call, although it is known that Capt. Edwards's knowledge of Poe's wonderful nerve under trying circumstances prompted the choice. Poe admits that he was surprised, for he had not practised in this department of the game except in fun with the coaches when, it is said, he showed marked ability.

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The undergraduates of at least three universities believe that their football elevens have won the so-called intercollegiate championship this year. Harvard men maintain that the Crimson team is at the top of the heap because it has not been defeated, although Yale unexpectedly played it to a draw. Princeton's followers say that the victory over Yale earns the laurel wreath, in spite of the defeat at the hands of Cornell. Lafayette, by defeating Cornell and the University of Pennsylvania, is the third aspirant, in spite of a defeat at Princeton. Lafayette men declare that their team beat Cornell after the Ithacans had walloped Princeton and Columbia, the latter having previously disposed of Yale. The University of Chicago, by the way, has not been beaten, and has treated Cornell to her worst defeat. The Carlisle Indians, who play Columbia on Thanksgiving Day, have the top score of the season. They crushed Oberlin on Saturday by 81 to 0.

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BOXING.

Articles of agreement were signed on Saturday for a twenty-five round contest between Gus Ruhlin and Peter Maher. The pair will come together at either the Broadway or Lenox A. C. within two months. George Considine has offered the men a purse of $5,000, which has been accepted. The battle will be under straight Marquis of Queensberry rules. Ruhlin and Maher recently fought a draw at the Lenox A. C.

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Tom Sharkey will not go to Ireland next month. This is due to the fact that he was surprised on Saturday by his father visiting him. The latter is a venerable-looking man and little smaller than the sailor. Tom is quite elated over his father's coming to America, and is devoting all his spare moments to him. It is the first time the pair have met in many years. Now that his father is here Sharkey is going to get in harness again and fight. His manager, Tom O'Rourke, said to a reporter of The Sun:

"Sharkey is ready to tackle any heavyweight in the world. He will tackle either Maher, McCoy, Jeffries or Fitzsimmons. First come first served is his motto."

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YACHTING.

C. D. Rose's new racing cutter, The [illegible] ... Capt. Sycamore, who was second in command on the Valkyrie III. in 1895.

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Speaking of the cost of building a cup challenger, the Yachtsman says: "Instead of the preposterous expenditure of between £80,000 and £100,000 for mere initial cost, it should be possible to put a perfect 70-footer (l. w. l. on the starting lines at Sandy Hook at a cost of not more than £10,000. Meanwhile, let us not make vague suggestions to the N. Y. Y. C. as to how it should act so as to give us fair play. The best course for any one who is willing to challenge will be to formulate such conditions as he feels inclined to make, and to say that if the N. Y. Y. C. will adopt these he will challenge. The club can do no worse than refuse, in which most improbable case no harm will have been done, whilst every one will be pleased should the club see its way to adopt so sensible a course, and one so certain to keep the prestige of the great cup ever increasing."

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ATHLETICS.

The fall sports of Oxford and Cambridge Colleges have not developed many new men likely to prove dangerous antagonists to Yale and Harvard in case a team from the English Universities visits America next year. They have served to introduce a promising athlete in J. G. Milburn, a young American now studying at Lincoln College, Oxford. Milburn attracted attention by winning the high jump at the Freshman Sports with five feet six inches, a performance that brings him within measurable distance of the best men in university circles on the other side, and it is quite on the cards that he may turn out the first American to win an event at the Oxford-Cambridge games. His chances are the better as he was prepared for Oxford at the Hill School, Pottstown, Pa., where Mike Sweeney, the greatest high jumper that ever lived, is the athletic instructor. In commenting on the victory of the American, the London Field said that Milburn appeared too heavily built to achieve very high honore in that department, and will probably be secured by his college boat club, for which he should prove a valuable recruit.

There were one or two exceptions to the general mediocrity displayed at the sports. G. R. Garnier of Oriel emulated the performance of his father, the Rev. E. T. Garner, and his brother, E. S. Garnier, and showed capital form in the hurdle race, which he won by ten yards. D. C. Cowan won the half-mile run in the fair time for a freshman of 2 minutes, 4 2-5 seconds, but failed through poor judgment to win at one mile. He came with a rush near the close, but finished third, beaten by four feet, in 4 minutes 43 3-5 seconds.

At the Lincoln College sports on Nov. 17, Milburn again demonstrated his ability in the high jump and won the event with 5 feet 5 inches without being pushed. The performances all around were better than in the freshmen sports, and introduced a good man in L. J. Cornish, who won the broad jump with the excellent leap of 22 feet 2½ inches, and the 100 yards, in which he was penalized 3 yards, in 11 1-5 seconds. He also won his heat from scratch in the 120-yard handicap, in 12 3-5 seconds, but was beaten for first place in the final, after a splendid race, with the limit man who received 13 yards' start. E. G. N. Clarke of Balliol won the 600-yard strangers' handicap from scratch, in 1 minute 15 3-5 seconds, which indicates that he may develop into a formidable opponent to the American teams.

The Cambridge athletes seem to be more backward than their rivals, and their freshmen sports have not taken place. Magdalene and Peterhouse have held their college games, but the only occurrence out of the ordinary was the winning of five events by J. A. Gott, the secretary of the Magdalene A. A. He took the 100-yard dash, 150-yard handicap, 120-yard hurdle, high jump and long jump, in one afternoon.

Among the university gossip is one item of interest to Americans. "Old Blue" in London Sporting Life writes that C. R. Thomas, who ran J. F. Quinlan of Harvard such a close race in the 100-yard dash at the Yale-Harvard-Oxford-Cambridge sports last summer, will, contrary to general expectation, compete again for Oxford next year. It is quite likely that the prospect of avenging his defeat by Quinlan may have influenced the English record holder to again don the dark blue on the running path.

At Lexington, Ky., Monday the thoroughbred sale of Woodard and Shanklin opened with a large attendance of buyers from various parts of the country. Over a hundred yearlings were sold. Among them were the following:

B c by Pirate of Penzance, dam Katie H., by Ten Broeck, consigned by Milton Young, F. K. Walls, Nashville, Tenn., $575.

Ch c by Hanover, dam Hot Scotch, by Imp Hopeful, consigned by Milton Young, Pat Dunne, Chicago, $1100.

B c by St. Florian, dam Juenstown, by Tom Ochiltree, consigned by Milton Young, C. T. Paterson, Lexington, Ky., $1300.

There was a good attendance at the evening sale of the Paolo Alto stud thoroughbreds. The total sales Monday were 93 head for $28,430. The best sales Monday night were:

Imp Fairy Rose bm 1880, Kisher-Hippolyte, Sidney Paget, $1800.

Imp Cornelia, bm 1885, Isonomy-Imp Petreleuse, Sidney Paget $1000.

Imp Gosgo, blk m 1885, Isonomy-Imp Flirt, Matt Dwyer $4000.

Charm, b m 1890, Imp Cheviot-Imp Fairy Rose, Gideon Daly $1100.

Fustine, b m 1896, Alcod-Imp Flirt, Walter Rollins $1100.

Shannon Rose, b m 1885, Shannon-Imp Fairy Rose, Matt Dwyer $1300.

Flirtation, b m 1891, Wildidle-Imp Flirt, R. H. Potter, $2100.



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EASTPORT NEWS.

Sudden Death of Capt. William H. Berry.

(Special to Whig and Courier.)

Eastport, Nov. 27. A gloom of sadness fell upon this community Monday evening as word was passed around of the sudden death of Capt. William H. Berry, at his late home on Willow street. The captain had been attending to some business during the early part of the forenoon and about eleven o'clock went into the hardware store of G. W. Capen, where he stood talking to Mr. Capen, when suddenly he threw his arm across his chest, reeled and fell into a chair near him. He soon recovered sufficiently from the shock, which proved to be an attack of heart trouble (angina pectoris) and was able to be taken home. He improved during the afternoon and remained comfortable until about 8.30 P. M., when he was again taken with another shock, which resulted fatally. Capt. Berry was one of Eastport's best known and most highly esteemed citizens, one whose circle of friendship was marked only by his acquaintances. To know him was to love him; but now that death has wrapped its sombre shrouds about his mortal being, we can but look back upon his life's existence as that of an ideal man, and a loving and affectionate husband and father. From a young man until four years ago, he followed the sea, and as a captain of sailing vessels, was well known in Boston and New York shipping circles, as a very successful master. During his early experiences he was often gone on long voyages with cargoes to New Zealand and South Africa, where, after taking on return cargoes, he would return to American ports, only to reload and start off again. He was a hard worker. The deceased was a member of Eastern Lodge, No. 7, F. & A. M. of this city. He leaves a wife and five children, who in their hour of bereavement have the heartfelt sympathy of the entire community in their loss of an affectionate father and husband.

Frank E. O'Leary, the popular representative of A. Lewis, the Bangor cigar manufacturer, was in the city today. This is Frank's first trip to Eastport, but nevertheless he very much likes the place and admires the unquestioned rush that marks the city's business.

Among the Riverside guests today are: A. F. Gilmore, P. I. Hersey, Boston; A. D. Jones, G. L. Garman, Bangor, F. B. Livingstone, Boston.

P. Hobart Allen of Edmunds was in the city today.

"Ye gods and little fishes." What will become of us? Geo. O'Grady's mill this week makes its last "large gold payment to employes." "It's all over, father, we've sold the farm."

Miss Robertta Rice has recently accepted a position in the millinery store of Mrs. MacNichol on Water street.

I. H. Kilby of Dennysville was in town today.

Frank A. Rutherford, who during the summer season has been conducting a grocery store on Washington street, will transfer his place of business to a restaurant, where he will serve meals and lunches at all times of day and night.

Now that the packing season is gradually drawing to a close, and many factories have more or less stock on hand, they are having the same stored in many of the cellars about the city, and the truckmen are reaping a harvest, carting the stuff.

The Quoddy register today bore the signatures of S. H. Gooch, Portland; W. B. Marr, New York; Clarence Seagrove, C. M. Fosgate, H. O. Stevens, C. H. Damon, W. H. Rich, Boston; C. P. Maloney, Bangor.

At the preliminary trial this forenoon of the young culprit, Oscar Sears, who performed the atrocious act of assaulting a woman and taking away her wallet, Trial Justice Newcomb found the evidence sufficient to bind the prisoner over to the next term of the S. J. Court. In default of $500 bail, young Sears at the time of writing, was still being held in custody.

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Thayer's Select Cases in Evidence.... 5.50
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Tiedman on Real Property.......... 4.50
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NOTICE.

The Penobscot Central Railway will receive freight at its depot on Boston & Bangor S. S. Co.'s wharf every day hereafter for Kenduskeag, Corinth, Charleston, Exeter, Garland, Brownville, Hudson, etc., etc.

STATE OF MAINE.

Executive Department,
Augusta, Nov. 13th, 1899.

Notice is hereby given that a petition for the pardon of J. Caldwell Nason, confined in Penobscot County Jail under sentence for killing a moose in close time, is now pending before the Governor and Council, and a hearing thereon will be granted in the Council Chamber at Augusta, on Wednesday, the 20th day of December next, at 4 o'clock P. M.

BYRON BOYD,
Secretary of State.

State of Maine.

Penobscot ss.
Clerk's Office, Supreme Judicial Court.
Bangor, November 18th, 1899.

Notice is hereby given, that Freeland Jones of Bangor in the County and State aforesaid, has this day filed in this office, notice of his intention to apply for ad-... A. D. 1900, of said Court for Penobscot County.

CHAS. F. SWEET, Clerk.

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RAILROADS.

WASHINGTON COUNTY RAILROAD.
ARRANGEMENT OF TRAINS.
In effect Oct. 2, 1899.

Pullman Buffet Sleeping Cars between Calais and Boston, Through Coaches between Calais and Bangor.

Until further notice trains will leave Bangor as follows:

6.00 A. M., from and leaving Boston 7.45 P. M., daily (except Sundays). 7.00 P. M. Sundays, Portland 11.00 P. M., arriving Franklin 7.56 A. M., Cherryfield 8 42 A. M., Machias 9.47 A. M., Calais 11.35 A. M., Eastport 11.45 A. M., daily including Sundays, Princeton 12.32 P. M., daily except Sundays. This train has Pullman buffet sleeping car, Boston to Calais. First-class coaches, Bangor to Calais.

4.50 P. M., daily except Sundays, from and leaving Boston 9.00 A. M., and Portland 12.35 P. M., for and arriving Franklin 6.51 P. M., Cherryfield 7.37 P. M., Machias 8.45 P. M., Calais 10.30 P. M., Eastport 10.40 P. M.

RETURNING.

Leave Eastport 7.15 A. M., Calais 7 35 A. M., daily except Sundays, for and arriving Machias 9.27 A. M., Cherryfield 10.31 A. M., Franklin 11.15 A. M., Bangor 1.10 P. M., Portland 5.35 P. M., Boston 9.05 P. M.

Leave Princeton 3.45 P. M., Eastport 5.40 P. M., Calais 5.45 P. M., daily except Sundays, for and arriving Machias 7.37 P. M., Cherryfield 8.41 P. M., Franklin 9.25 P. M., Bangor 11 20 P. M., Portland 3.50 A. M., Boston 7.25 A. M. This train has Pullman buffet sleeping car Calais to Boston. First-class coaches Calais to Bangor.

Leave Calais 1.55 P. M., Eastport 1 50 P. M., Sundays only, for and arriving Machias 3.47 P. M., Cherryfield 4 51 P. M., Franklin 5.35 P. M., Bangor 7.30 P. M., Portland 1.30 A. M., Boston 5.57 A. M. This train has Pullman buffet sleeping car Calais to Boston. First-class coaches Calais to Bangor.

H. F. DOWST, Gen'l Manager.

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Belfast and Boston	$3.00 to $2 25
Camden and Boston	$2 80 to $1 85
Rockland and Boston	$2.50 to $1 75

The price of rooms will be reduced from $2.00 and $1.50 to $1 50 and $1.00.

Steamers leave Bangor for Hampden, Winterport, Bucksport, Searsport, Belfast, Camden, Rockland and Boston, Mondays and Thursdays at 11.00 A. M.

RETURNING.

From Boston, Tuesdays and Fridays at 5.00 P. M.

From Rockland, touching at way-landings, at about 5.30 A. M. Wednesdays and Saturdays.

HENRY T. SANBORN, Agent, Bangor.
CALVIN AUSTIN, Gen. Supt., Boston.
WILLIAM H. HILL, Gen'l M'ger, Boston.

Bangor & Bar Harbor Steamboat Co.

Change of Time. In Effect Nov. 22, 1899.
TWO TRIPS PER WEEK.

Steamer CIMBRIA

Will leave Bangor at 7.30 A. M., every Wednesday and Saturday for Bar Harbor and way landings, except Fort Point, Islesboro and Hughes' Point.

RETURNING.

Leave Bar Harbor at 7 A. M., every Monday and Thursday.
Meals served.

Winter Arrangement.

Steamer Tremont will be placed on the route as soon as the river is closed, leaving Bucksport at 8 A. M. or on arrival of morning train from Bangor. Same trips as above to run as far as Seal Harbor.

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REAL ESTATE.

Wanted, Lost, Found, To Let, Etc

Advertisements under the head of wanted, lost, found, to let, etc., not exceeding four lines, 10 cents each insertion when prepaid. When not prepaid regular advertising rates will be charged.

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FOR SALE—COMBINATION DIAMOND and drop frame Tandem, good condition. Cost $150, price today, $28. E. M. Estabrook, 22 Harlow St.

FOR RENT—THE JUDGE CUTTING house on Penobscot street, possession in October. Hot water to heat house. Inquire of A. C. Hamlin, French street.

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PENOBSCOT CENTRAL

Time Table of Freight Trains Between E. Corinth and Bangor.

FREIGHT CAR LEAVES

East Corinth	7.00 A. M.
Houston's	7.30 A. M.
Hudson Siding	7 30 A. M.
Kenduskeag	7.45 A. M.
Worster's Siding	8.00 A. M.
Miller's Siding	8.10 A. M.
Car Shops	8.30 A. M.
Bridge Siding	8.50 A. M.
Morse's Siding	9.15 A. M.

FREIGHT CAR LEAVES

Bangor, Morse's Siding	3.00 P. M.
Bridge Siding	3.20 P. M.
Car Shops	3.40 P. M.
Miller's Siding	3.55 P. M.
Worster's Siding	4.05 P. M.
Kenduskeag	4.20 P. M.
Hudson's Siding	4.40 P. M.
Houston's Siding	5.05 P. M.
East Corinth	5.30 P. M.

F. O. BEAL, General Manager.

THE BANGOR FUEL SOCIETY.

The annual meeting of the Bangor Fuel Society will be held on Monday, Dec. 4 next, at the office of B. B. Thatcher, No. 114 Exchange street, Bangor, Me., for the election of officers and the transaction of such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

RAILROADS.

Maine Central Railroad

ARRANGEMENT OF TRAINS.
In Effect Nov. 6, 1899.

Until further notice trains will leave Bangor as follows:

GOING EAST.

4.35 A. M.—For Vanceboro, St. Stephen, Aroostook County, St. John and the Provinces. Pullman car for St. John.

Note—Passengers for 4.35 A. M. train to points east of Vanceboro must take this train at Western station and not at Exchange street, which will not be open for sale of tickets.

7.00 A. M.—For all B. & A. R. R. points and mixed Oldtown to Vanceboro.

2.05 P. M.—For Oldtown, Lincoln, Mattawamkeag, Danforth, Vanceboro, St. Stephen, St. Andrews, Houlton and Woodstock, St. John and Halifax.

4.00 P. M.—For Oldtown and way stations.

4.45 P. M.—For B. & A. R. R. to Greenville, Patten and Houlton.

6.30 P. M.—For Oldtown and Mattawamkeag.

Additional locals to Oldtown and way stations leave Bangor at 8.80, 11.30 A. M., 1.15, 2.50, 5.30 and 11.05 P. M.

GOING WEST.

7.15 A. M.—For all points west, connecting at Newport for Dover and Foxcroft, at Burnham for Belfast, at Waterville for Oakland, Winthrop, Lewiston, Farmington, Rangeley, Rumford Falls, Bemis, at Portland for Boston, Cornish, Bridgton, Fabyans, Lancaster, St. Johnsbury, Montreal and Chicago.

1.35 P. M.—Flying Yankee for Newport, Dover and Foxcroft, Moosehead Lake, Belfast, Waterville, Augusta, Bath, Rockland, and Lewiston, Portland and Boston. Parlor car to Boston.

4 35 P. M.—For Dover and Foxcroft and Greenville and mixed to Waterville.

8 00 P. M.—Every night for Augusta, Portland and Boston, Lewiston and Bath. Sleeping car to Boston.

11.45 P. M.—Express for Portland and Boston with sleeping cars attached. Connects at Portland for Fabyans, Lancaster, Quebec, St. Johnsbury, Montreal, Chicago and St. Paul.

Additional locals to Bangor and way stations leave Oldtown at 6.35 and 10.40 A. M., 1.30, 2.40, 3 50 and 7.00 P. M. Arrive at Bangor, 7.10 and 11.15 A. M., 2.05, 3.15, 4.25 and 7.35 P. M.

BUCKSPORT BRANCH.

Trains leave Bangor for Bucksport 6 50 A. M., 11.50 A. M., 4.55 P. M., Saturdays only at 7.00 P. M. Arrive at Bucksport 7.50 A. M., 1.05 and 5.56 P. M., and 8.05 P. M. Saturdays only. Leave Bucksport for Bangor at 8 50 A. M., 3.00, 6.15 P. M., and 5 50 A. M., Mondays only. Arrive in Bangor at 9 55 A. M., 4.10 and 7.10 P. M., and on Mondays at 6.50 A. M.

MT. DESERT BRANCH.

Trains leave Bangor week days for Bar Harbor at 6.00 and 9.30 A. M. and 4.50 P. M., for Washington County Railroad, 6.00 A. M. daily and 4.50 P. M. week days. Leave Ellsworth for Bar Harbor, 7.18 and 10.52 A. M. and 6.10 P. M. and 7.18 A. M. daily for Washington County R. R.

Leave Bar Harbor (steamer) at 10.25 A. M., 3.25 P. M. Leave Mt. Desert Ferry at 11.15 A. M., 4.55 and 8.30 P. M. Leave Ellsworth at 11.53 A. M., 5.31 and 9.58 P. M. Arrive in Bangor, 1.10, 6.55 and 11.15 P. M. Sundays only, leave Ellsworth 6.08 P. M., arrive Bangor at 7.25 P. M.

SUNDAY TRAINS.

6.00 A. M.—For Ellsworth and Washington County R. R.

8 00 A. M.—For Portland and Boston.

8.00 P. M.—Portland, Boston, connecting for Bath and Lewiston. Pullman sleeping car attached.

ARRIVALS.

Through trains from the East arrive at 1.15 and 11 30 P. M. From Mattawamkeag, 10.20 A. M. From Greenville, 9 20 A. M., 7.20 P. M. B. & A. R. R., 1.05 and 7 20 P. M.

From the West—Arrive from Boston and Portland at 4.15 A. M., 3.00, 4.35 and 6.25 P. M. From Portland, 11.40 A. M. From Waterville and from Dover and Foxcroft via Dexter, 9.05 A. M. Sunday from Portland and Boston, 4.15 and 11.35 A. M. and 4.35 P. M.

GEO. F. EVANS.
Vice Pres. and General Manager.
F. E. BOOTHBY,
General Pass. and Ticket Agent.

Bangor & Aroostook RAILROAD.
ARRANGEMENT OF TRAINS.

In Effect, Monday, Nov. 6, 1899

Pullman Buffet Parlor Cars between Houlton and Bangor on train leaving Houlton at 6.20 A. M. and Bangor at 4.45 P. M.

Until further notice trains will leave Bangor as follows:

7.00 A. M.—For and arriving at Lagrange at 8.15 A. M., Milo 8.40 A. M., Brownville 8.50 A. M., Katahdin Iron Works 9.40 A. M., Norcross 9.43 A. M., Millinocket 9.55 A. M., Sherman 10.45 A. M., Patten 11.10 A. M., Island Falls 11.12 A. M., Smyrna Mills 11.45 A. M., Weeksboro 12.10 P. M., Masardis 1.03 P. M., Ashland 1.30 P. M., Houlton 12.10 P. M., Presque Isle 1.57 P. M., Caribou 2.25 P. M., Fort Fairfield 2.15 P. M., Limestone 3.15 P. M., Dover 9.10 A. M., Guilford 9.35 A. M., Monson Junction 9.53 A. M., Greenville 10.50 A. M.

4.00 P. M.—For and arriving at Lagrange 5.25 P. M.

4.45 P. M.—For and arriving at Milo 6.20 P. M., Brownville 6 32 P. M., Katahdin Iron Works 7.15 P. M., Dover and Foxcroft 6.46 P. M., Guilford 7.09 P. M., Greenville 3.20 P. M., Norcross 7.25 P. M., Millinocket 7.37 P. M., Sherman 8.20 P. M., Patten 8.45 P. M., Island Falls 8.45 P. M., Houlton 9.40 P. M.

ARRIVALS.

9.20 A. M.—Leaving Greenville at 5.25 A. M., Monson Junction 6.23 A. M., Guilford 6.40 A. M., Dover 7.00 A. M., Katahdin I. W. 6.20 A. M., Brownville 7.15 A. M., Milo 7.30 A. M., Lagrange 7.57 A. M.

1.05 P. M.—Leave Caribou 6.15 A. M., Presque Isle 6.42 A. M., Fort Fairfield 6.20 A. M., Houlton 8.20 A. M., Ashland 7.90 A. M., Masardis 7.26 A. M., Weeksboro 8.15 A. M., Smyrna Mills 8.42 A. M., Island Falls 9.15 A. M., Patten 9.10 A. M., Sherman 9.40 A. M., Millinocket 10.27 A. M., Norcross 10.39 A. M., Brownville 11.30 A. M.

7.20 P. M.—Leaving Greenville 3.35 P. M., Monson Junction 4.32 P. M., Guilford 4.50 P. M., Dover 5.08 P. M., Limestone 9.45 A. M., Caribou 11.45 A. M., Presque Isle 12.13 P. M., Fort Fairfield 11.15 A. M., Houlton 2.00 P. M., Island Falls 3.00 P. M., Patten 2.55 P. M., Sherman 3.28 P. M., Millinocket 4.16 P. M., Norcross 4.30 P. M., Katahdin I. W. 3 P. M., Brownville 5.30 P. M., Milo 5.40 P. M., Lagrange 6.06 P. M.

GEO. M. HOUGHTON,
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F. W. CRAM,
Vice Pres. and Gen. Mgr.
Bangor, Me., Nov. 1, 1899.

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THE LOCAL NEWS.

HIGH WATER.

Nov. 29th—7.10 A. M.; 7.35 P. M.

The annual Thanksgiving traffic over the railroads is very good.

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The travelling men will make short runs this week, so that they can get home over Thursday.

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Thanksgiving day, the Auburn Gun Club will hold a tournament in which all shooters are invited to take part.

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The school instruction for the officers of the second Maine regiment of the national guard will not be convened till after the holidays.

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This is the season of the year when sportsmen take their chief delight in visiting the Maine woods to hunt for the various kinds of game. Most men enjoy chasing up a deer and bringing him down with a well directed shot.

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P. H. Plaisted was expected home in Waterville Tuesday from his annual deer hunt in the vicinity of Chase's Stream, the Moosehad region. He is reported as having shot two fine specimens of what he went after.

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The copper cornice for the top of the Morse-Oliver building has arrived and will be placed in position as soon as the roof of the block is ready to receive it. The contractors for the work are Leighton & Davenport of this city.

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Ten carloads of Christmas trees went Monday from Eastern Maine, and were transferred to the Portland & Rochester road for shipment to New York. These shipments will be quite frequent from now on until Christmas time.

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Three men were sent on Tuesday from Calvin Carr's employment agency in this city to Petersburg, Virginia, to engage in hard pine lumbering operations. They have to send to the old Pine Tree State for their experts, after all; and this isn't the first time Maine's wood choppers have been needed in the vicinity of Petersburg, either.

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The Maine State Board of Agriculture will hold its annual dairy meeting at City Hall, Lewiston, Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, December 11, 12, and 13. The opening day will be given to a business session. The Jersey Cattle Club Breeders of Maine will meet at 9 a. m., the second day of the dairy conference.

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On Tuesday [illegible] were at work putting a double row of incandescent electric lamps around the curve of the arch over the entrance to the Opera House. The work, it is expected, will be finished in time to turn on the light tonight. The illumination will make an attractive show, and also will add to the comfort of those attending the theatre in the evening.

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The country roads are said to be in a very bad shape at the present time in some sections. There has not been very much frost in the ground and the comparatively warm weather of the past week has resulted in making the roads very muddy. "There will be no more descent traveling on the country roads," says a farmer "until we have some snow that will make sleighing. What we want is about a week of snapping cold weather to get the ground in good condition and then about 10 or 12 inches of snow to stay with us until spring."

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Those who love skating believe that the seasons are changing from what they used to be. One gentleman remarks that he can remember the time, not more than 10 or 15 years ago, when skating would arrive by the middle of November and last for several weeks, as a rule, before the snow would arrive. Now, he complains, the warm weather continues until the snow arrives, and it leaves the skating a minus quantity. Yet the general run of people will not be inclined to complain that the cold weather holds off.

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Bath Times:—From Bangor comes a wail because small two-masted schooners, say of about 200 tons, are so scarce that many wharves along the Penobscot are piling with lumber for which no transportation can be had, there being no vessels open to charter which are of sufficiently light draught. No such craft have been built for years and years, and those of early days are rapidly going the way of all the earth. There are classes of work which no other class of vessels can do. The demand for two-masters is increasing with the demand for all other transportation media and the supply is decreasing, as it has been for decades. Why would it no be profitable for some of our yards to turn out a fleet of little schooners?

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The Norumbega club will hold its next regular meeting in the banquet room of City Hall building on Friday afternoon, Dec. 1, at 2.30 o'clock.

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There will be a grand opening ball at Bay View Hotel, Gouldsboro, Dec. 6th. Supper will be served at the Bay View House. The music will be by Hall's orchestra, of Bangor.

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The Shakespeare club of the Essex street Baptist church met Tuesday evening with Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Bryant, 65 Maple street. The club are taking historical plays and pursuing in connection with them a study of English history.

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The Grand Central Bowling alleys will open Wednesday night under the management of Kane & Sullivan, two well known Bangor men. They would like to see their friends and acquaintances at their new place of business and will guarantee a good time.

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The lecture to be given by Prof. Chapman of Bowdoin at the next Central club entertainment was delivered by him at Portland a short time since and was received by the audience with great enthusiasm. A rich treat awaits those who are present next Monday evening.

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The Dirigo Grange of Freedom held a box sociable Tuesday evening Nov. 21. A pleasant time is reported and a goodly sum realized from the sale of the boxes. The money is to be invested in new books for the library. This grange is one of the prosperous granges of Waldo county. New members are coming in and interesting meetings are in order.

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The big locomotives that were recently bought by the Maine Central are now being run on the night passenger trains. They have been running on the freights to get them in condition for the longer and harder runs.

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Miss Mildred Varnum, of Bangor, who is to give dancing lessons this winter in Milburn hall, Skowhegan, met her first class Monday evening. There seems to be a good prospect for a large class of pupils for Miss Varnum who is one of Maine's finest dancing teachers.

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Kennebec Journal:—Many compliments are being heard for Rev. Norman McKinnon, of Foxcroft, on his excellent sermon of Sunday morning at the Congregational church. The members of the parish were well pleased with the young pastor's sermon and mode of delivery. He is a graduate of Bowdoin and of the Bangor Theological Seminary.

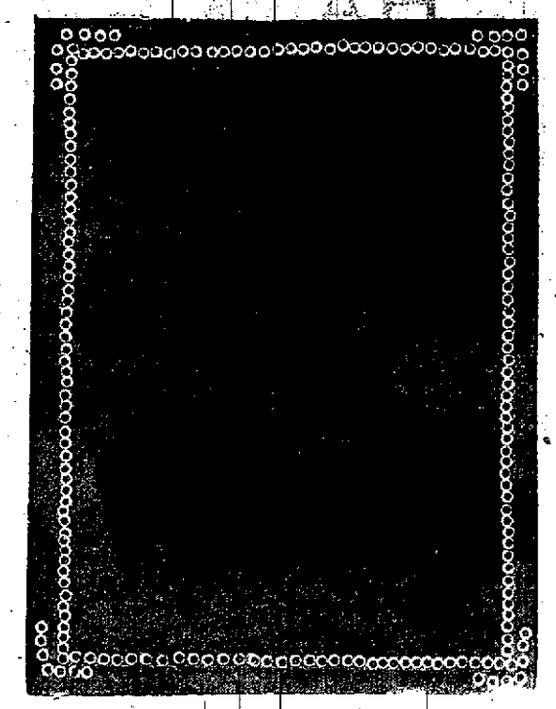
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"Good times and bad times make but little difference in the observance of Thanksgiving. People buy about as much at one time as they do at another," says one of the market men. "That is the one day in the year when Maine people celebrate. No expense is spared then. The people have about so much. If there is any economy during the bad times it is on matters of dress or something like that."

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It is the desire of the Baltimore Medical school foot ball team to make Scannell, the former Maine foot ball player, their captain. The strange thing is that when "Jack" went out on the foot ball field the first time the men looked on him as rather insignificant and would not give him a regular suit. He soon won the suit and in the last game in which the team won the foot ball championship of the South, played against the best tackle the South has produced for years. The Southern papers could not speak in too high terms of praise of his playing.

MEN PROMINENT IN STATE AFFAIRS.



Colonel AUGUSTUS B. FARNHAM.

BASKET BALL.

Talk of a Maine League in Which Bangor Will Be Included.

There is talk of the formation of a Maine basket ball league to include Portland, Bath, Rockland and Bangor. The game is lively and interesting and is an excellent indoors sport.

Basket ball may be played on any level space; convenient size is 5½x75 feet. The goals are two baskets, 18 inches in diameter fixed ten feet from the floor or ground. The official ball is 31 inches in circumference; weighs between 18 and 20 ounces. Five players make a team. It is customary to play twenty minutes, rest ten, exchange goals, then play twenty more. The object of the game is to get the ball into your opponent's basket as many times as possible, and to prevent the other team from putting it into your goal. The ball is put in play by throwing it into the center of the floor. When the ball goes out of bounds, it should belong to the player who first touches it. He will then throw it into the floor from where it went out. Opposing players may stand on the line and stop the throw if they can, but they cannot go out of bounds to get at him. It is not allowed to carry, kick or [illegible] the ball, or to tackle, hold or push an opponent. There are class A fouls. When a player strikes, or kicks, or shoulders, or is rough, or trips an opponent, it is a foul, and the player who resorts to this kind of play should on the second offense, be excluded from the game. There are class B fouls. When a foul has been made, the game is stopped. The opposing team then has a throw for the basket, the thrower standing ten feet away. This thrower must not be interfered with. A goal made while in play counts two points; a goal made from a foul, one point. When there has been a tie the game goes right on until one side scores two points. Where each of the players helps the other instead of trying to make the goal alone the best game is developed. This is team play. Teams rank more according to their ability to play a game of this character than by their capacity as individual players.

THE POLICE COURT.

In the municipal court on Tuesday morning Nettie Rowe was sentenced to six months in the county jail for keeping a house of ill fame.

In the afternoon at about 2 o'clock another case was heard by Judge Vose in which two men from down in Washington county figured as the centerpieces. Lincoln Davis and his brother, Thurston Davis, came up to Bangor on Tuesday from their home in Milbridge, but before leaving they had the poor judgment to take one or two drinks of very ardent spirits, which made them think for the time being that they owned the Maine Central railroad and everything pertaining thereto. So when they got to Holden they entered the regular passenger coach and comfortably seated themselves with large lighted cigars. There were several ladies in the car and the brakeman, seeing the men smoking, spoke to them and requested them to remove themselves to the smoking car. They did not see fit to do so, however, and when the train reached Brewer one of the brothers lighted his cigar again. The brakeman notified Conductor G. F. Mishou, and he at once told the men to go into the smoking car. At this time the other brother came up and added his voice to the question, and used such vulgar and profane language within hearing of the persons in the car that the conductor and brakeman held the two disturbers, and when the train reached the Exchange street station they were handed over to Patrolman Knaide, who escorted them to the police station. The men were found guilty and sentenced to pay a fine of $5 each and the costs, which they did in a very disgusted manner.

THE ANTI-POLYGAMY PETITION.

The members of the Anti-Polygamy League who are interested in circulating the congressional petitions against polygamy, request that all who have been canvassing return their lists to Dillingham's this morning, as they are to be joined and sent on at once. For assistance to the collectors all canvassers will please write their own names at the top of their lists.

Ten thousand demons gnawing away at one's vitals couldn't be much worse than the tortures of itching piles. Yet there's a cure. Doan's Ointment never fails.

HARD ON TRAVELER.

Nearly Killed by Coffee.

"It is hard to teach a traveling man that coffee don't agree with him. I had the fact forced on me pretty thoroughly.

"I have been connected with an importing coffee house in New York and accustomed to drinking a great deal of coffee.

"My stomach got so badly out of order that I thought for a time I would not live. The heart was also involved, and gave so much trouble that I was afraid to drop off to sleep, fearing that I would never wake up.

"The cause of the trouble was not known until my attention was called to it by reading about Postum Food Coffee. I dropped the coffee at once, and have since been drinking nothing in that line but Postum. The results have truly surprised me. I am on the road traveling, and carry a package of Postum wherever I go. Since using the Postum Food Coffee (eight months) my stomach and heart seem to be in a perfect state of health, and I have gained over 25 pounds. I have recommended it to a score of friends and have been thanked by them repeatedly." R. E. Frear, Tunkhannock, Pa.

MAINE POSTAL CHANGES.

The following postoffices have been established in Maine: Dutch Neck, Lincoln county, special from West Waldoboro, 2 miles northwest.

The following star service has been established in Maine: Route 1582, Beach to Deer Isle, 4 miles, and back, six times a week, by a schedule of not to exceed 1 hour, running time each way. From Jan. 1, 1900, to June 30, 1901.

BREWER LOCAL NEWS.

Frankie Carpenter is drawing large crowds from Brewer.

Miss Jessie Logie is confined to the house by illness.

Mr. Fred Carey is out again after his recent illness.

Miss Florence Abbott has been visiting in Brewer recently.

Lawson and crew are still busily at work on the Dyer building.

There will be no union Thanksgiving service in Brewer this year.

Mr. C. B. Kingsley of Boston was in the city Tuesday on business.

The gate at the railroad crossing on Center street has been promptly repaired.

Mrs. Charles E. Williams and son Preston have returned from a trip to Lewiston.

Mr. Fred Rogers, the well known horse dealer, sold 24 horses one day last week.

The King's Daughters' fair is still being discussed and great preparations are going on.

Mr. Calvin Getchell and Mr. Roscoe Gilmore have returned from a successful hunting trip.

Mr. W. O. Seavey, the Brimmer square dentist, has hung out a handsome new sign.

Mrs. George Abbott has gone to Mt. Desert Ferry to spend Thanksgiving with her parents.

Mrs. Charlotte Merriman of Boothbay Harbor is visiting relatives and friends in this city.

Mr. Artelle Palmer of Bowdoin is at home spending his Thanksgiving vacation in South Brewer.

Miss Susan Amelia Sargent, who has been quite seriously ill with erythema nodosum, is slowly improving.

Miss Catherine Annis has accepted a position with L. C. Pinkham in his fruit store during the holidays.

Mr. B. F. Young has a good line of Thanksgiving goods in his well-stocked store in Penobscot square.

The friends of Mr. Charles F. Rand are pleased to see him able to attend to business once more, after his recent illness.

Miss Josephine Vickery, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Vickery, is recovering from her recent illness from typhoid fever.

A number of Brewer's oldest residents attended the old folks' card party and smoke-talk which was held in A. O. H. hall last evening.

Mrs. Frank Kavanaugh feels pleased with the Thanksgiving rush of orders. Mrs. Kavanaugh's cooking is appreciated very much at these times.

The regular supper of the Ladies' Aid society will be postponed for one week from Thursday at the Methodist church on account of Thanksgiving.

The regular meeting of the Aden club with Mrs. Stella Cobb took place Tuesday evening. The subject taken up was "Midsummer Night's Dream."

Motorman George Puffer has returned from a hunting trip to Madanesquandis and has brought home a fine large buck as a result of his excellent marksmanship.

The organ fund fair will take place next week, Thursday and Friday, which will be the 7th and 8th of December. Extensive preparations are going on.

Prof. Ferguson's phonograph selections were very much appreciated by the audience at the supper and entertainment given by the Degree of Honor lodge at Odd Fellows' hall Monday evening in this city.

The many friends of Mr. Spofford of Brewer will be pleased to learn that he is improving in health after his recent fall and pneumonia which set in after it.

Christmas music of a very high order is being rehearsed for St. Teresa's services at South Brewer. Miss Carrie Hanley is organist and is doing good work with the choir at that place.

The committee of arrangements for the U. V. M. oyster supper Monday evening in the central hose house were Messrs. George H. Lunt, Emery Johnson and George Glidden.

The Ladies' Parish Circle supper will be postponed until Thursday, Dec 14th, on account of the organ fund fair taking place Thursday, the 7th, their regular evening.

The football boys are getting in lot of practice for Thanksgiving. A lively game is expected between the Orono and Brewer high school teams. The game will be called at 3 o'clock.

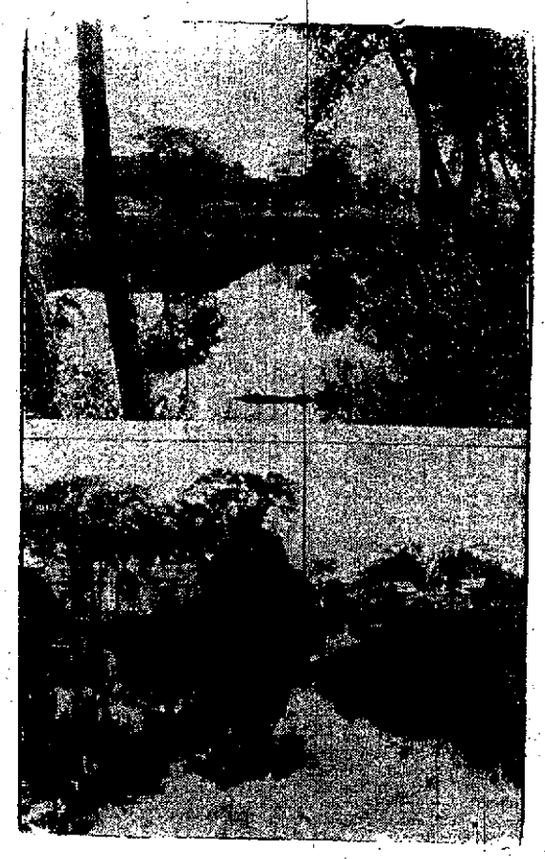
The Degree of Honor took $20 at the door at their supper Monday evening. The solo by Miss Marena was much enjoyed. Prof. Ferguson's phonograph entertainment was pronounced the best ever heard in Brewer.

The whist party at the central hose house Tuesday evening was a social success, a large number attending. Ice cream and cake were served by the committee in charge, consisting of Messrs. Shannon, Will West and W. F. Parker.

A COMING ENTERTAINMENT.

There will be an entertainment and dance in City hall, Brewer, Tuesday evening, Dec. 5. Music will be furnished by Hicks' orchestra, with Edward Larsen as accompanist. Following is the program:

Banjo solo.....Harry Witham
Bone solo.....George Collin
Banjo comedian.....Mell More
Solo.....Chas. Eslin
Glass eater.....Carl Stolhand
Solo.....Wallace Eldridge
Cornet solo.....H. Mills
Heavy weight performer...P. Peterson
Mid-air performance.....Geo. Collins

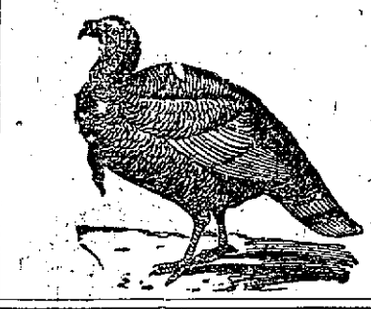


SNAP SHOTS AROUND BREWER.

(Reproduced from pictures taken by Albert Farrington.)

ABOUT YOUR

THANKSGIVING TURKEY



We shall have our usual full supply of fine first quality native turkeys this year, and shall be able to fill all demands for this class of goods. Our regular patrons require the very best, and therefore we shall not have any second or third quality or any western goods.

We have already purchased our full supply of the very best natives that it is possible to find, and we can assure you that there will be no better, and in fact, very few as good in the market this year.

Don't spoil your Thanksgiving dinner with a poor turkey. You may (perhaps) save a few cents by purchasing an inferior turkey, but when you come to eat it you'll be dissatisfied.

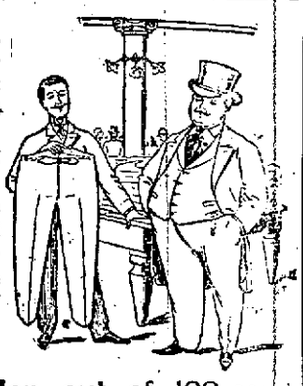
Be sure that the inwards are all out of the turkey before you buy. If they are not it is surely a western bird and you don't want it at any price.

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Fancy Cheviot and Cassimere Trousers.....$2.00 to $5.00
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PULLEN SYMPHONY CONCERT,

At CITY HALL, TUESDAY, DECEMBER 5, at 7.45.

Soloist: Miss Helen Wright of Boston.

Tickets at City Hall Box Office, Saturday, Dec. 2. 25c, 35c, 50c.

COURT RESCRIPT.

The following rescript has been received by the clerk of courts:

STATE OF MAINE.

Piscataquis case.

William M. Smith vs. Charles C. Smith et al.

Rescript by Savage, J.

In this case the plaintiff seeks to recover pay for services rendered to the defendants as copartners. The defendants claim that the copartnership was dissolved by the giving of a "trust mortgage" by one partner, Smith, without the knowledge or consent of the other, Williams, and that Smith could not thereafter employ the plaintiff on the credit of the firm.

Inasmuch as it does not appear that the "trust mortgage" was a conveyance of all the property of the firm, or that the trustee accepted the trust or acted as trustee, or that the plaintiff, who was then and for a long time had been under contract relations with the defendants as a copartnership, had notice of any dissolution of the firm by any method whatever, it is held that the instructions given or refused touching the dissolution of the copartnership became immaterial.

If the trustees did not accept the trust, the instrument was of no effect, and if the plaintiff had no notice he was not affected in any event.

So far as appears by anything in the record, the remaining exception cannot avail the defendants. The instruction as given was sufficient.

Motion and exceptions overruled.

UNIVERSITY OF MAINE.

Of Alfred R. Davis, '02, who was injured in the ball game between Colby and the U. of M., two weeks ago, is rapidly improving. It is hoped he will be able to attend to his studies in a few days.

The students are very happy over the Thanksgiving recess from Wednesday to Dec. 6th. It is undecided as yet what the faculty having come to no decision.

Rehearsals of the Glee Club are held three evenings of the week, under the able instruction of Mr. J. Coombs. They plan to give a concert in Orono Saturday night, Dec. 9th, assisted by the instrumentalists and C. O. Porter "1900" manager C. L. Gray is putting forth every effort to make the concert a success in every way.

D. H. Perkins, 1900, has returned to his studies at the college.

The following were guests at the "Maples" Saturday evening: Mrs. Harris, Prof. and Mrs. Huston, Mrs. C. H. Harrington, Mrs. L. C. Briggs. A delicious chicken supper was served, after which the guests were pleasantly entertained by the members of the club.

Monday evening, Dec. 4, Prof. L. Merrill will give an illustrated talk on Headible Castle, before the Gentleman's Club, at the home of Mrs. Myron Allen. The lecture promises to be one of interest.

LOCAL TEMPERATURE.

The following table gives the weather conditions as shown by the thermometer and barometer at Miller's pharmacy:

	Barometer	Thermometer
Nov. 28, 7 A. M.		
12 M.		
6 P. M.		

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HORRIBLE TRAIN WRECK.

Local Train Crashes Into a Buffalo Express at Paterson, N. J.

SIX PEOPLE WERE KILLED.

The List of Injured Will Probably Reach a Score Or More---Terrible Scenes at the Wreck---Cars Smashed to Splinters.

The Wreckage Caught Fire, But Those Who Were Pinned Down Escaped Death.

New York, Nov 29. The Buffalo express east bound, while waiting outside the depot on the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western road at the Van Winkle street crossing at Paterson, N J tonight, was run into by a swiftly moving accommodation train bound from Phillipsburg, N. J to Jersey City. At least six persons were killed and there are now 20 injured at the hospital in Paterson, of whom some will probably die, while some of those not seriously injured were able to go to their destination

Oscar Aaronson, Scranton, Pa., legs crushed

Thomas A White Ithaca, N Y, injured about head

John White, son of T. A White, Ithaca leg broken, badly cut by glass

Louis Baron, Dover, N. J, face and body badly cut.

J S Howe, Jr, Brooklyn, cut and bruised about head and body.

Sterling S Smith, Brooklyn, head injured

Max Muscovitch, New York, head injured

Louis Freedman, Scranton, Pa, legs crushed and head bruised.

W H Furbush, New York, head injured cut by glass.

Charles Remsen, Brooklyn, thought to be internally injured

Isaac Gordon, New York, head injured

Wm Ossel, Chicago, leg crushed.

Daniel Maxwell, Hackettstown, N J seriously bruised and cut

— McCormick, of Michigan, slightly injured

A E Cordlay, New York, slightly injured

THE DEAD.

The dead so far as at present known are Mrs Mary Roe, of Ithaca, N Y, one unknown woman, two unknown men, an unknown girl, and an unknown boy

The Buffalo express was No. 6, in charge of Conductor Capwell The Phillipsburg train was 96, in charge of Conductor Burke, with Engineer Reardon The Buffalo express was waiting for a local train to move that had been delayed at the depot and the Phillipsburg accommodation was following the express but a short distance behind The two rear cars of the express were broken to pieces, most of the passengers on them being either killed or injured The engine of the Phillipsburg train was completely wrecked, the engineer and firemen escaping by jumping

The local train was No 7 and it was partly due to its delay that the accident occurred Apparently the engineer of the Phillipsburg accommodation did not notice that the express drew up some 300 feet west of the depot The express was 45 minutes late When Engineer Reardon saw lights ahead, too short a distance separated the trains to avoid a collision His train was going at full speed The engine plunged into the rear car of the express, a Pullman day coach, and ploughed through the heavy timbers almost its entire length This car was lifted from the track and pushed on to the next car, also a Pullman, carrying off its end and almost completely telescoping it The engine of the Phillipsburg train was almost completely torn to pieces. The wreckage caught fire, but this was soon extinguished and in this way those who were pinned down escaped being burned to death Within a few moments police reserves, firemen and great crowds of people came to the rescue of the terrible tangle of wood and iron. From the wreck came groans and shrieks and prayers for death or deliverance It was intensely dark at the scene, and as the broken wood was taken out of the wreck it was thrown to the sides of the tracks. Then it was set on fire to furnish light for the rescuers

The firemen, police, train hands and several score of citizens turned in to rip the fearful pile to pieces It was desirable to draw the engine out but this could not be done as it would result in death to some of the imprisoned people in the debris

Before the wreckage was attacked there was seen the body of a man hanging half way out of one of the rear windows on one side, and the body of a woman hanging from a window on the other side Both had been in rear seats in the rear car, and when the engine hit the car and tore through it their mangled bodies were crushed through the windows and hung between the sides of the car and the engine

The rescuers took men and women out of the wreckage in rapid succession and they were hurried away to the hospitals In many cases it was necessary to chop away the wreckage about the injured in order to get them out. One man was found standing upon his head in a corner, held fast by the wreckage which had piled about him. He was taken out unconscious and it was thought he was dead, but he revived and proved to be but slightly injured

Lizzie Kane of Binghampton was found with her feet held fast between two heavy beams. The remainder of her body was clear but she had to lie there suffering great agony while the men trying to get her out dug down through a heap of broken wood and iron and freed the upper beam.

Agnes McDonald of Oxford, N. Y, was taken out with great difficulty Her legs were fearfully crushed. She suffered terrible agony during the half hour it took to free her from the wreckage

The dead were carried into the depot

David Roe, who is in the hospital with his right leg badly crushed, became frantic when he found that his wife was not in the hospital He believed she was killed but he was not told so

The Whites father and son, were found with their arms about each other The son's leg is broken while the father is badly bruised and his face and hands cut by flying glass

One of the men killed is thought to be Miller Craig of New York A ticket book found on the body indicates this

To the Uninsured.

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THE EDDY CASE.

The Remarkable Suit Progressed Another Stage on Wednesday

Boston, Nov 29 The remarkable contest at law between Mrs Josephine C Woodbury and Mrs Mary Baker G Eddy progressed another stage in superior court today.

Judge Braley took the papers this afternoon and reserved his decision upon the petition of Mrs Eddy that Mrs Woodbury be required to show cause why a writ of attachment should not issue against her and she be placed in contempt because of the publication of her declaration as plaintiff in the suit brought by her against Mrs Eddy for $150,000 before said declaration was accessible to the court, and also for the publication of sundry articles alleging to be of great scandal detriment and injury to Mrs Eddy before the said suit could be brought to trial

The court also reserved its decision upon the further request of Attorney Elder, counsel for Mrs Eddy that the action for libel entered by Mrs Woodbury against his client be suspended until the plaintiff shall have suffered penalty for and purged herself of her contempt.

Mr Francis W. Peabody, counsel for Mrs Woodbury, took upon himself the full responsibility of having counselled the publication of the articles The only contempt, he said, was a very remote constructive contempt If there was any offence here, it was her counsel's offence He submitted that if the court find his client guilty of contempt she had done all she could to purge herself of it.

Mr Elder followed, calling attention to a few prior decisions in like cases Mr. Elder charged Mrs. Woodbury with having made the files of the court a vehicle for the publication of an attack upon his client through the press and the mails which the public would believe As to the penalty, he said it ought to be of a character to stamp out the practice of trying cases in the newspapers before they can come up in the court in which they are entered.

It would be long before the damage done his client, Mrs. Eddy, by these publication could be obliterated, and he considered that the suspension of all proceedings in Mrs. Woodbury's libel suit against Mrs. Eddy for a year would be none too great a penalty. The status of the Woodbury-Eddy suit is an involved one just now. The original suit is that for alleged libel brought by Mrs. Woodbury against Mrs Eddy. Recently, after much had been published about the case, Mrs Woodbury, through counsel, petitioned the court that Mrs. Eddy be adjudged guilty of contempt on account of the publication of certain articles Mrs Eddy, through counsel, cross-petitioned the court to have Mrs Woodbury adjudged in contempt because of premature publication of the declaration in the libel case

Yesterday afternoon Mrs. Woodbury's counsel abandoned the petition against Mrs. Eddy and the contempt proceedings then turned against Mrs Woodbury on Mrs. Eddy s petition. Then it was that Mrs Woodbury took the witness stand and made a plea in her own behalf.

When the court came in today Mrs Woodbury took the stand and said, in reply to her counsel, Mr Peabody, that she had no intention to publish anything to influence public opinion. She had bought no extra copies of the papers and sent but one copy to a member of the church of Christ. Replying to Mr. Elder, counsel for Mrs. Eddy, she said she recognized her portrait in a copy of the New York World shown her but she did not furnish it to the paper. She had an interview with a reporter, but supposed the interview would not be printed Witness said she had written an article last spring upon Mrs Eddy, and also had written other matter with the object of showing the harmful effect and tendency of Mrs. Eddy's teachings

Both sides rested at this point and arguments were made

THE SENATE REORGANIZATION.

Washington, Nov. 29 The Star says There is considerable talk about the extent of the Senate reorganization early in the coming session of Congress. It is generally conceded that Gen Clarkson of Iowa will be secretary of the Senate The question of a change in the office of the sergeant-at-arms is very difficult to determine. Col. Bright, the present sergeant-at-arms, has made such a record for efficiency of administration that regardless of party affiliation there is a general feeling that the Senate would lose more than a partisan appointment could possibly gain by a chance.

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WAS FIERCE.

Philadelphia Fire Loss Will Reach Nearly $2,000,000.

There Were Two Fires in Heart of Business Section.

Started in Big Department Store---Losses Insured.

Philadelphia, Nov 29. Nearly two million dollars worth of property was destroyed by two fires in the heart of the business section of the city early today. The greater of the two fires started in the big department store of Partridge and Richardson, at the southeast corner of Eighth and Filbert street, the very center of the shopping district at 6 30 A. M and before the flames had been put under control, they spread to adjoining property, including the building of J B Lippincott Publishing Co, and caused a loss of about $1 700,000 While this fire was in progress and spreading every moment, another fire fire broke out four blocks away on the fourth floor of No 419 Mat street The loss at this fire is estimated at $110 000 The losses at the two fires are more than covered by insurance.

The Eighth street fire was a very ugly one for the firemen to handle Eighth street and Filbert street are very narrow thoroughfares There was a strong wind blowing at the time and the fire fighters had great difficulty in preventing the flames from getting a good hold on the opposite side of these streets As it was, many structures and their contents were badly scorched and damaged by water It took four hours to get the flames under control

WHERE IT STARTED

The fire started in the basement of Partridge and Richardson s store from an electric spark and soon the entire building was a mass of flames The two stores to the south of Partridge and Richardson's was soon gutted and then the flames attacked the big building of the J. B. Lippincott Publishing Co, on Filbert street, east of the burning department store This publishing house is one of the best known in the country, many high class reference books, periodicals and numerous other publications being produced by the firm The building was completely ruined In this building, stored away in vaults, is nearly a half million dollars worth of manuscripts, plates and other material for reference books and it is not yet known whether they were destroyed.

Lit Brothers' large department store, which adjoins the Lippincott building and which is valued with its contents, at over one million dollars was saved but only after the contents of one corner of the building had been damaged. Strawbridge and Clothier's large department store on the west side of Eighth street, also had a narrow escape and the building and contents were damaged to the extent of about $50,000. A number of other business houses adjoining Lippincott s and Partridge and Richardson s were either entirely destroyed or badly damaged. The estimated losses are

ESTIMATED LOSSES

Partridge and Richardson, $700,000, J. B. Lippincott Publishing Co, $600,000, Artman and Treichler, wholesale house furnishings, $100,000, Lit Bros., $75,000; Strawbridge and Clothier, $50,000; Bailey's five and ten cents store, $50,000, Rosenberg's millinery store, $30,000; Partridge and Sons' restaurant, $20,000, Westcott and Thomas Electrotypers, $10,000.

Additional losses aggregate about $25,000 are divided among A L Williams, gloves, Little Jet Jewelry Store; Medina's Persian hair store, C, Eastburn, corsets, H Mosebach, restaurant; P. H. Hallahan, shoes, R Goldberg, millinery and cloaks, Woolworth's 5 and 10 cent store; P J Hallahan, shoes, Samuel D Levy, small wares; P. W Bean and Co, perfumery, G. Ulrich, wire worker

All the losses are covered by insurance

The second fire was discovered at 7 30 A M, in the four story building at 413 Market street, occupied by several manufacturers and wholesale dealers. The entire building was gutted as was also the adjoining building, No. 417. The estimated loss is $110 000.

Over 2,000 persons are thrown out of employment by the fires, but the proprietors of other department stores offer temporary employment to all Partridge and Rishardson's 900 employes at the salaries they received from the burned out firm

Although the fire raged for over four hours, there were no casualties beyond a few minor injuries received by a half dozen firemen.

WAS CELEBRATED

Rome, Nov. 29. A requiem mass was celebrated in the Eiglish Catholic church here today for the repose of the souls of the slain in South Africa. The church was filled with English and Americans, including the ambassadors of Great Britain and the United States. The Pope sent his blessing.

A remedy for Nasal Catarrh which is drying and exciting to the diseased membrane should not be used. What is needed is that which is cleansing, soothing, protecting and healing. Such a remedy is Ely's Cream Balm. Price 50 cents at druggists or it will be mailed by Ely Brothers, 56 Warren Street, New York. The Balm when placed into the nostrils spreads over the membrane [illegible]

SILVER REPUBLICANS.

Special Meeting of National Committee in Chicago Adjourns to Meet Again at Call of Chairman.

Chicago, Nov. 29 The special meeting of the national committee of the silver Republican party adjourned today to meet again at the call of the chairman after having taken action that practically assures the fusion of the party with the Democratic and Populist parties, the endorsement of the Democratic platform and the presidential candidates of the party. The sub-committee appointed yesterday to decide on the most practical date and place for holding the national convention and also to report on matters of practical organization for the campaign including the apportionment of delegates from the various states to the national convention, submitted its report to the committee today and after a lengthy discussion its recommendations with one or two minor amendments was adopted The sub-committee recommends that all of the matters in question be referred for action to the executive committee, of which former Senator Fred D. Dubois of Idaho is chairman.

Chairman Towne gave out the following official statement of the action of the committee:

"A resolution was unanimously adopted that a national convention of the silver Republican party be held and the executive committee was instructed to confer with the Democratic and Populist national committee in an effort to secure, if possible, the holding of all three national conventions at the same time and place and at the earliest practicable date, to the end that complete co-operation of the reform forces may be had The executive committee was authorized to determine the number of delegates to the national convention the same to be not less than two thousand, to arrange the basis of selection and to allot the representation from each state It was decided that the call for the convention shall include as eligible to representation all these voters who heretofore prior to 1896 or since, have acted politically the Republican party, but are bi-metalists, and favor the unrestricted and independent coinage of both silver and gold at the present legal ratio, and who are opposed to the policy of extending the gold standard in the United States by retiring the greenbacks destroying the full money power of the existing silver dollar, providing for the payment of all government obligations and the redemption of all forms of paper money in gold alone and surrendering to a banking combination the sovereign function of issuing paper money"

THE MAZET TRIAL.

Investigating Committee Adjourns Until Next Tuesday.

New York Nov 29 The Mazet investigating committee this afternoon adjourned until next Tuesday. The first hour of the proceedings today were occupied with an examination into the methods of the board of public improvements. Comptroller Bird S Coler was then placed on the stand. He was asked a great many questions concerning the business methods employed in the various departments of New York city When Mr Moss inquired why it was that in making a $10 000,000 bond issue the controller had given it all to the Produce Exchange Trust Co, while 31 bidders in the aggregate offered a higher rate, Mr Coler for the first time apparently lost his temper for a moment. He said that he was in honor bound to keep faith with the financial public—that he could not play fast and loose with the bidders. The controller said that the average rate of the small bidders was not higher than the rate offered by the Produce Exchange Co, for the entire issue. Mr Coler told Mr Moss that if he was not speaking the truth that he would be willing to make a present of his office to the attorney for the Mazet committee. Mr. Moss protested that this was unfair. The controller advised Mr. Moss not to put words in his mouth that had never been uttered, not to make speeches and suggest fraud in places where fraudulent practices could not be found Mr. Moss disclaimed any intention of this character, but continued the line of inquiry and produced lists tending to show that the city had lost $10,874 by the bond transaction.

Mr Coler warmly protested against the figures claiming that if they were correct, he was a scoundrel and should be removed from office at once. The controller told Mr Moss that when the Mazet committee got the things straightened out, he ought to do him the justice to acknowledge the error This Mr Moss promised to do.

The committee adjourned until Tuesday next

CABLE RATE DECREASED.

Western Union Telegraph Co. Establishes a New Rate for Messages to and from Havana, Cuba.

New York, Nov. 29. The Western Union Telegraph company announces that on and after Dec. 1, 1899, its rate on telegraph messages between Havana, Cuba, and New York and all places east of the Mississippi river, including St. Louis and Minneapolis, will be 15 cents per word, and that the rate from all other places west of the Mississippi river will be 20 cents per word. The present rates are respectively 25 and 35 cents a word.

The company adds that it has just completed the laying of a new three conductor cable between Miami, Fla., and Key West, Fla., and a cable thence to Havana.

DON'T WANT REMAINS REMOVED.

Washington, Nov. 29. The citizens of Key West have petitioned the navy department not to remove the remains of the victims of the Maine who were interred in the cemetery there. They have represented that the town purchased a lot in the cemetery, placed an iron fence around it and erected an expensive monument which is to be dedicated [illegible]

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LAST JUROR SECURED.

New York, Nov. 29. The 12th and last juror in the case of Roland B Molineux was secured at 5 o'clock this afternoon Juror No 12 is Frederick B Crane, a correspondent for the American Book Co Earlier in the day Theodore Sandhop, a manufacturer of chemical and surgical instruments, was selected as the 11th juror

During the morning hours of the trial Mrs Blance Cheseborough Molineux and Mrs E L. Molineux, the wife and mother of the prisoner, were in the court room. The two women were greeted by General Molineux, father of the defendant, when they entered A few minutes later the prisoner came into the room. His face brightened perceptibly when he caught sight of his wife and mother, and, hurrying forward, he kissed them again and again. Today is said to be the first anniversary of the marriage of Mr. and Mrs. Roland B. Molineux, and Mrs. Molineux is reported to have insisted upon seeing her husband upon the anniversary of her wedding

GAINING GROUND.

Success of Revolutionary Movement in Venezuela Said to be Increasing.

Willemstad, Island of Curacoa, Nov. 29, via Haytien cable Trustworthy advices from Caracas just received here say that the revolutionary movement in Venezuela against Gen. Castro, the president pro tem, headed by Gen Hernandez, is daily gaining ground.

EXTENDED TO JULY FIRST.

Time in which Congress May Ratify the Cherokee Treaty Somewhat Extended.

Kansas City, Mo, Nov 29 A Star special from Tahlequah I T says

Both houses of the Cherokee legislature have finally passed the bill extending to the first of July next the time for Congress to ratify the Cherokee treaty The treaty is practically the same as that made with the Dawes commission.

BILL ANTHONY BURIED

"Bill" Anthony of the Maine was buried today in the seamen s plot in Evergreen cemetery, Brooklyn. The funeral took place from the chapel of an undertaking establishment on 23d street, Manhattan The chapel was crowded to the doors The service began with the singing of "Rock of Ages" Rev. A W Holder read the funeral service and Rev. Stephen Merritt delivered an eulogy of the dead sailor A poem entitled "Bill Anthony, Hero," was recited by "Aunt" Louisa Eldridge the actress. There were beautiful floral gifts, among them being a handsome wreath of laurel tied with purple ribbons, which had been placed on the casket early in the day by Mme Emma Nevada, the singer.

TALKED ON ALASKAN BOUNDARY

Halifax, N. S, Nov. 29. Sir L H Davies, Canadian minister of marine and fishery, speaking at New Glasgow last night, referred to the Alaskan boundary dispute. He said

"He had been willing to settle the difference with the United States by a compromise, then by arbitration Both were rejected by the Americans Then he offered Dyea and Skagway, Canada to keep Pyramid Harbor This also was declined. Further efforts would still be made for an amicable settlement Sir Louis said that Canada's position had been straightforward and statesmanlike

In the meantime to maintain friendly relations between Britain and the States a temporary settlement of the dispute had been agreed upon.

JOIN THE STRIKERS

Philadelphia, Nov 29 In response to an appeal made by the striking workmen of Cramp's ship yards 75 reamers, drillers and riveters today laid down their tools and joined the ranks of the strikers for a nine hour day.

The strikers claim that no more than twenty reamers are now at work in the yard

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THE WEATHER.

Increasing Cloudiness Thursday—Probable Showers in the Afternoon.

Washington, Nov 29 Forecast for Thursday and Friday, Maine, New Hampshire and Massachusetts Increasing cloudiness Thursday probably showers in the afternoon, Friday, showers, variable winds, becoming fresh westerly

BOSTON FORECAST.

Boston, Nov 29 Local forecast for Thursday Generally cloudy, showers in the afternoon and night southwest to west winds.

GENERAL FORECAST

Washington Nov 29 Weather conditions and general forecast

The pressure continues low throughout the country except on the Pacific coast, where a high area is moving northward and will evidently turn eastward over the path traversed by the low area immediately in advance. The low area is moving eastward with great rapidity and undiminished intensity and is central tonight in western South Dakota The northern low area which is equally marked, is moving at a much slower rate and is central tonight over Lake Superior

There has been no precipitation of consequence during the past 24 hours except from the upper Mississippi valley eastward through the upper lake region and from the middle and northern plateau westward to the coast. Over the latter districts there has also been a fall in temperature of two degrees to 12 degrees, the fall extending eastward through the Dakotas Over the remainder of the country the temperature has generally risen and is from ten to 23 degrees above the seasonal average in the great river valleys and southwest.

Showers are indicated Thursday from the lower lakes eastward, probably continuing Friday in New England It will be colder Thursday from the middle and northern slope westward and colder Friday in the southwest and central valleys

It will be warmer Thursday in the south Atlantic coast states

On the Atlantic coast fresh southerly winds will prevail, becoming fresh westerly Friday

STARTS FOR PARIS.

Rio de Janeiro, Nov 29 Dr G De-Toledo Piza e Almeida, the Brazilian to Paris, has embarked for France, charged with the negotiation of a treaty of commerce between the two countries He will probably also negotiate treaties with Italy, Spain and Germany

EMPEROR AND EMPRESS ARRIVE

Flushing, Nov 29. The Imperial German yacht Hohenzollern, having on board the Emperor and Empress of Germany and their suite arrived here today from Sheerness

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